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SUPERVISORS WAR WITH WORDS

Church Gives Roeth the Lie in an Open Meeting and a Decidedly Sensational Scene Is the Result.

A STATEMENT BRANDED FALSE.

Figures Produced to Refute Some of the Charges.

EXPLANATIONS ARE DEMANDED

Expenditures for Indigents Causes All the Trouble.

"I say, sir, that you lied!" heatedly exclaimed Supervisor Church at this morning's meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

The remark was directed at Supervisor Roeth and was accompanied by a vigorous bang on the desk by the irate official who made it.

There could be no misunderstanding as to whom the words were directed, for Church fairly faced his fellow member and spoke to him directly.

Roeth turned red, rose from his seat and talked back, but in the midst of the excitement Chairman Talcott used his gavel vigorously and declared a recess. This checked what might have been more than a war of words.

FEELING NOTICEABLE.

The first appearance of the feeling between the two Supervisors cropped out early in the session, when a requisition was presented from the County Infirmary for seeds and some surgical instruments.

Supervisor Church has the Infirmary under his supervision and he did not like the objection which Roeth made to the granting of the request for the needed articles.

"I would like to have the gentleman from the fifth, or whatever district he represents," ejaculated Church, "explain why he is opposed to allowing Dr. Clark the instruments which are absolutely essential."

ROETH'S ANSWER.

Roeth rose and said:

"I simply want to state that I went out to the hospital and asked to see the ranch which the county is supposed to be supporting."

CHURCH ANGRY.

Here Church jumped to his feet and exclaimed:

"I call the gentleman to order. The subject under discussion is not the ranch."

Roeth continued, however, saying: "I asked Superintendent Clark what work was actually being done by the county."

Chairman Talcott rapped heavily with his gavel at this point and said, heatedly:

"What are items you are objecting to, Mr. Roeth?"

"I am merely stating my reasons for opposing the last and supporting the first of this requisition," replied Roeth and then he went on to say:

"With the exception of a few cabbages and a lot of frozen peas, there was not a vestige of vegetation on the ranch when I visited it last week. I looked around and inquired into the reason.

"I see this morning, on my return, that this requisition for seeds is here. I heartily endorse it, but I can see no need for planting instruments."

"GALLERY PLAY."

Church gained recognition immediately and was somewhat dramatic when he exclaimed:

"Roeth has seen fit to make a gallery play again. Now I want to state what every one knows. The farmer has not been able to get to work on the ground owing to the wet weather. No plowing could be done of late. Now that the land is drier and the weather settled, the farmer will at once go to work. It is not anything Roeth did whatever, for that cuts no figure."

Roeth was about to make a retort when Chairman Talcott loudly rapped for order and declared that if no further objection was made, the requisition would be granted. This was the order adopted.

The difference of opinion on the matter only served as a preliminary to the sensational event of the day. When the routine business had been dispatched, Church took the floor, stating:

CHURCH DEFENDS HIS NAME.

"I wish to rise to a question of personal privilege. There was a communication in the Examiner the other morning to which the man from whom it came did not have the courage to sign his name. It was in the convenient form of an interview, and it was of such a nature that it demands refutation.

"I am plenty able to take care of myself personally, but when I am attacked in my official capacity I will not let the matter pass.

A LIE.

"I brand the statement as a lie! He made a statement which he can't substantiate, when he says that 50 per cent of the goods I have purchased from Herrscher are not on the schedule."

Church was red with rage as he turned to Roeth and pounding on the desk exclaimed vehemently:

"I brand that statement as a lie and the man that made it don't know what he is talking about. I have figures here to prove this and here they are.

He then handed the Clerk the following communication from the County Expert:

EXPERT'S FIGURES.

"In compliance with your request, I herewith hand to you a statement of articles furnished to the County Infirmary by Joseph Herrscher who has contract No. 5 for supplying the County Infirmary with groceries, etc.

"The period covered by this statement is from January 1, 1896 to March 1, 1897. It shows the total amount furnished, the amount as per schedule, the amount not on the schedule and a segregation by months of the latter

"A recapitulation of the statement is as follows:

"Total amount of claims, $11,036.52.

"Total amount of schedule, $9,515.90.

"Total amount not on schedule, $1,520.62.

Segregated as follows: for feed, $636.31; hardware, paint, glass, crockery, electric batteries etc., $563.34.; groceries, not on schedule, $320.97.

"FRED A. DAVIS,
"County Expert."

Accompanying this, was an itemized account of all expenditures.

Continuing, Church said: "I ask the Clerk to take 50 per cent out of the total for the 14 or 15 months."

County Clerk Jordan announced that it would exceed $5,000 and then the Supervisor went on to say:

"There is considerable difference between $5,000 and $300."

At this point, he pulled a bundle of papers from his pocket and threw them heavily on Roeth's desk at the same time, angrily saying:

CHURCH DEFIANT.

"I have produced my figures and now I defy him to show his."

Both men were excited and little heed was paid to Chairman Talcott's raps for order.

Roeth fairly shouted when he rose to his feet:

"Whom are you talking about! The Examiner or me?"

Church's response was none the less subdued.

THE LIE DIRECT.

"I say this sir! The Examiner was misinformed and you lied!"

Both Supervisors were on their feet facing each other and a suppressed murmur of excitement came from the lobby, when a personal conflict seemed inevitable. However, this did not occur.

Roeth's rejoinder to the direct accusation was emphatically delivered.

ROETH'S SAY.

"I wish to say," he shouted, "that I am not responsible for what appears in the Examiner. I want the minutes of this meeting to say that I, Charles Roeth, have been called a liar in open Board, by Supervisor Church."

HE MEANS IT.

Church broke in with:

"Yes, let the minutes show it. I repeat it and mean what I say."

Turning to Roeth, he directed the question:

"Mr. Roeth, do you deny the interview in the Examiner?"

Roeth was silent for some seconds and then moving in his chair, said:

"I am not here to be examined."

A THIRD TIME.

"Then if you don't deny it, I say again you lie and I mean it!" came from Church.

RECESS.

There was another moment of confusion, during which Chairman Talcott tried to adjourn the Board, but a motion from Wells to the effect that a fifteen minute recess be taken, was immediately declared adopted, without a vote.

Church and Roeth cast meaning glances at each other and walked to different parts of the room, while those present conversed in an undertone over the exciting incidents.

The two Supervisors had another informal mix-up as they passed each other, but it amounted to little.

At the end of recess the Board was called to order, only to be adjourned until next week and so the matter was dropped.

THE ARTICLE.

The article which caused all the trouble is as follows:

"Supervisor Chas Roeth says that his enemies are trying to destroy his influence as a member of the County Board of Supervisors. As a result of the many sensational stories the Grand Jury will investigate. Mr. Roeth makes the following statement:

"My enemies are trying to whisper my honor away and I do not propose to remain silent and see it done. I am of the opinion that Supervisor Church is responsible for certain publications reflecting on my management of the Receiving Hospital. I want to tell him and everybody else that there is not a word of truth in any of the charges made and the Grand Jury has so decided. It is true that I named Edward Ingals as engineer at the Courthouse. I gave him the place because he needed it and not because he roomed in my house. He pays me no part of his salary for giving him the place. I would not for a moment think of appointing any man to office and asking him to divide his salary. There is absolutely no truth in any charge that touches my honor either as a public official or a private citizen. Last Monday I asked the Board for a rock-crusher in my district and it was refused. I had the matter fully ventilated so that it could not be said that I was in a job to get a $400 rock-crusher. Supervisor Mitchell is chairman of the Building Committee. When Judge Ellsworth's courtroom was remodeled he took the matter in his own hands and got a man to do the work for $375. I immediately sent out and got bids from men who would do the same work for $325. Mitchell would have none of them. I noticed, however, that when his man put in his bill for the work it amounted to but $325. Now Mr. Mitchell is having the Hall of Records remodeled in the plumbing line. He told me his plumber was doing the work. Who gave him authority to cause this work to be done or how much it will cost I am unable to say, although I am a member of his committee. Supervisor Church runs the County Infirmary and there is plenty of money in this fund. He had a plan to build a reservoir at the infirmary at a cost of $2,900. There were to be no plans or specifications or open competition for the work. On this I made a fight and am now having plans prepared. This is simply a scheme to spend money, as there is a reservoir and lake already on the grounds. In my opinion it is simply squandering public money. Oh, I am doing some investigation on Mr. Church. I find that at least 50 per cent of the provisions supplied the poor house are not listed—that is, they are not on the regular schedule, so Contractor Herrscher charges his own price for them.

GONE UP IN FLAMES.

A Destructive Fire in the City of Lawrence, Mass.

Eleven Persons Are Badly Burned in the Big Gleason Block.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 22.—The worst fire this city has seen since the burning of the Washington Mills, six years ago, completely dismantled the Gleason Building, one of the best business blocks in Lawrence, early today, resulting in the injury of eight persons and the loss of property valued at $100,000.

The injured are:

John Bowering, left leg injured, several burns.

Mrs. John Bowering, left side injured, ribs broken.

Miss McKenzie, head injured, also serious burns.

William Gallagher, badly burned.

Bernard Gallagher, overcome by smoke, seriously burned.

A. S. Hunter, slight burns.

W. R. Robinson, left wrist fractured, burns.

It is not expected that any deaths will result.

The Gleason Building was of six stories and brick.

The five and ten cent store of Abbott & Co., occupied the basement and the first floor of the Gleason Building. The remainder of the block was taken up with offices, dressmaking and millinery rooms, lodging rooms and a photograph gallery.

The roof of the Central House caught fire and the Pedrick & Closson Blocks were in great danger but were in great danger, but were saved by the efforts of the firemen.

The Gleason Building was owned by the Gleason heirs and was fully insured.

FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY.

How the Unemployed in San Francisco Could Be Aided.

Through the agency of two kind-hearted ladies it is probable that Oakland will, in some measure, aid the poor unemployed of San Francisco.

The two ladies are Mrs. Alexander Campbell and Miss Sophie Newland. The plan advanced at an informal discussion on the subject yesterday morning at the Metropole Hotel was to appeal to the school children of the city for aid.

"The story of 1,800 men without work and without food," said Miss Newland this morning, "seemed to us so dreadful that we thought even Oakland ought to do something for their relief. My sister's plan was to go around to all the schools tomorrow and tell them how these poor fellows suffer, and ask each one to bring some lunch on Wednesday morning, when the contributions of all could be collected and arrangements made to send it to San Francisco.

"It seems so very little to ask—just lunch for the men once. It's true there are eighteen hundred of them, but surely there are more than eighteen hundred children who would be willing to give. You know, the same plan was carried out three winters ago for the poor of Oakland. It's true, there are poor in this city now, but there are not so many of them, nor has their condition been reduced to such extreme distress."

No more definite arrangements have been made by the ladies yet, and it is very much feared that Mrs. Campbell will not be able to carry out the purposed canvass of the schools tomorrow as she was confined to her room this morning with a severe headache.

REPAIRS TO BE MADE.

The work of repairing Telegraph avenue will have been finished by Thursday, it is thought, and, as Superintendent of Streets Miller has had the material analyzed and has found it to be all right, he will give the contractor a certificate and the work will probably be accepted before present Board goes out of office.

Dumping on the Marsh.

Health Officer E. M. Bradley has ordered Sanitary Inspector Ott to enter a complaint against the Crematory for dumping its screening, consisting of ashes and fine garbage on the West Oakland marsh. The screen used to segregate the ashes from the garbage allows much of the latter to fall through and this, the officers claim, has been dumped on the marsh.

FIENDS IN THE NIGHT.

The Secret and Malignant Killing of Fowl in East Oakland.

DOVES EYES ARE GOUGED OUT

Ducks Punctured With Pins With Points Tipped With Poison.

THE LOSS OF MRS. DOLMAN.

She Says She Is the Victim of the Malevolence of Some Neighbor.

A case of monstrous cruelty to animals and the ceaseless persecution of a woman is causing comment in East Oakland.

About three months ago, a little French woman, Mrs. Dolman, rented a cottage at 67 East Twelfth street. Misfortune had overtaken the little woman and she had pluckily set out to earn her own living. She began to raise ducks and chickens and soon nearly every game purchaser in town knew her.

MALIGNANT CONDUCT.

Some of the neighbors soon picked a quarrel with Mrs. Dolman and then her troubles. Her birds slowly disappeared. Some were choked to death, others suffered torture before death came to relieve them from their agony.

The favorite mode of torture was to run a sharp darning needle through the eyes of the bird. Some of the ducks had their eyes gouged out. Then the torturers found a new way to kill and began piercing the bodies with a needle tipped with deadly acid. Day by day the list of the slain grew until 200 squabs, several ducks and numerous chickens were dead.

The cat then came in for her turn in suffering agony. The fur and skin on the lower part of her body was taken off with acid and the miserable thing was then left to drag herself away.

The torture her pets were undergoing nearly drove Mrs. Dolman crazy. She saw her means of sustenance being taken from her and she was unable to defend herself nor could she discover her persecutor.

THE FIEND.

"I have my suspicions of the person or persons who are doing these diabolical things," said she, "but I cannot prove my suspicions. I watch every night now and if I see any one moving around the grounds I shall shoot. I am alone in the world and I must protect myself and my property. I have gone to the police and they have done nothing for me.

"I have been living here for three or four months and during the past six weeks this persecution of me has been going. I have my suspicions, as I said, but I do not like to say much about them. I will say that a certain man was insulting to me and said that he would make this place too uncomfortable for me to stay."

Mrs. Dolman showed the reporter a small keg filled with dead squabs, some of them horribly mutilated. This keg the woman said contained the birds killed during the past three days.

HOW HE WORKS.

It seems that the person comes when Mrs. Dolman is either away from home or in the middle of the night. The locks to the doors of the barn have been broken repeatedly by the fiend.

The Frenchwoman is said to be an industrious person and has given no offense to any one save those she mentions. The theory that she is insane with a penchant for torturing animals is not generally believed in by those who have met her. It looks as though she were the victim of malicious and cruel persecution.

SACHSEL IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—President Julius Brieske of the Christopher Columbus Building and Loan Association states that David J. Sachsel, the treasurer, has left Chicago and his accounts are being investigated by a committee of ten stockholders.

President Brieske declared that it was likely that the missing official will be called upon to explain why from $40,000 to $60,000 of the Association's funds are not in sight. Sachsel left on Tuesday last. His wife says he has gone into the country to raise some money. Those interested in the concern are largely laboring people employed in the vicinity of Deering.

LOST HIS HEAD.

The Fate of a Deputy Who Did Not Live Up to His Orders.

County Clerk Jordan this afternoon revoked the appointment of Deputy A. L. Perkins of Alameda who was appointed for registration purposes.

The clerk, always civil and anxious to please, is strict in enforcing courteousness from his deputies toward all who have dealings with the office. This is the first case in which any discourteousness has been displayed.

The evidence is that Perkins wrote an impertinent letter to Clerk Witcher of San Luis Obispo County. Witcher notified Jordan and inside of two minutes Perkins official scalp was in the basket.

SIX MORE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A boat of the St. Nazaire was picked up by the steamer Creole, which arrived this morning from New Orleans. Six dead bodies were in the boat. No live persons were aboard.

FIGHT IN MINIATURE.

McKinley's Aid Besought to Prohibit Views of the Late Fight.

THE APPEAL OF THE W. C. T. U.

Claim It Would Be Debasing to the Youth of the Country.

STATE LEGISLATION NEEDED.

Three Hundred Thousand Back Up the Prayer of the Union.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—The following appeal was forwarded today:

"To His Excellency, the President of the United States:—Honored Ruler. As the official representatives of 300,000 members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the United States, we earnestly entreat you to call upon Congress to prohibit in the District of Columbia and throughout the various Territories the reproduction by means of the kinetoscope or kindred instruments of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight or any like exhibition at any future time.

We believe that in making this request we are seeking the best welfare of the citizens, especially the youth of our land, who would be brutalized by such a lifelike representations of those degrading spectacles.

"We learn that preparations upon the largest scale are being made for the invading, not alone of our great cities, but of every village and hamlet with this spectacular performance.

"That bad as was influence of the fight upon the comparative few who witnessed it in person, it would be infinitely worse because so much more far-reaching if thus produced.

"We are making a like request of the chief officials and the Legislatures of the various States and have a strong hope that, in a majority of them the necessary legislation may result.

"We are glad to feel assured at the outset that your personal sympathy must be with us and that your official sanction will be given to this request so clearly in the interests of morality. Sincerely and respectfully yours,

"Frances E. Willard, president.

"Katherine Leente Stevenson, correspondent secretary, W. C. T. U."

IMPENDING DOOM.

Fear That More Levees Have Broken and That Ruin Will Result.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 22.—Today the flood situation may be compared to the "calm before the storm," because the Mississippi registered a fall of 0.1 inch in twenty-four hours, which is taken to mean heavy breaks of the levees above, foretelling awful calamity to the country south of here.

The government gauge at 10 o'clock shows a depth of 37 feet.

Relief boats continue to ply between this point and the immediate overflowed districts, landing each trip several hundred homeless people.

MAHER AND SHARKEY.

They Will Struggle for the Mastery Some Time in May.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch was received in Brooklyn today from Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic Club announcing that a match had been arranged between Maher and Sharkey. It will probably be brought off in May in Brooklyn. It is said that a purse of $10,000 will be the stakes.

SPORTS IN A SMASH-UP.

George Siler and Others Badly Shaken in a Railroad Wreck.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., March 22.—The East-bound Union Pacific passenger train, at 2:35 o'clock this morning, crashed into the rear end of a freight here, injuring three men.

George Siler, Louis Houseman, Jim Wakely and others, returning from the fight at Carson, were on the passenger train. All were shaken up, but none were injured.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Arrived: La Champagne, from Havre.

Not all tea-drinkers like Japan. It is, however, the cheapest tea; and many like it. But most Japan in this country is poor. Try *Schilling's Best.*

Your grocer returns your money in full, if you don't like it.

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San Francisco

INNOCENTS SACRIFICED.

A Cyclone Singles Out a School in Arlington, Georgia, Razes It to the Ground and Buries Its Inmates in the Ruins.

TWELVE CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Twelve More Are Expected to Succomb to Their Injuries.

TEACHERS ALSO MANGLED.

Every Other Building Escaped From the Violence of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 22.—A cyclone struck the village of Arlington this morning.

The public school building, a frame structure, was blown to pieces.

There were thirty pupils and two teachers in the building.

Twelve children were instantly killed.

The bodies were fearfully mangled.

Twelve children are dying.

Two teachers were hurt badly, and are thought to be dying.

The wind struck no other building with unusual force.

The cyclone struck town about 8:30 A. M., coming from the northwest.

THE DEAD AND INJURED.

The bodies of eight children have been taken from the ruins of Arlington Academy and a dozen others will die.

Thirty-five children and two teachers were buried in the wreck of the building and the work of removing the dead and injured is not yet completed.

Arlington Academy was a fine structure.

It lay directly in the path of the storm.

It was knocked in a great heap even before the danger was realized.

The death list as far as known is:

ALICE PUTNAM,
CLYDE ROBERTS,
OLLIE PARAMORE,
WILLIE McMURRIA,
JENNIE BUTLER,
MAUD JOHNSON,
MARY WELLINGTON,
KENNETH BOYNTON.

Two teachers, Professors Covington and Walker, have been removed from the ruins terribly hurt.

Walker, it is thought, will die.

The list of the injured cannot yet be definitely made up.

Nearly every home in the community has been blighted.

Men and women stand about wringing their hands and weeping.

The storm also wrecked the residences of D. Cowdry and Dr. W. E. Saunders.

No one was hurt in these places.

There is no news from outlying districts of the path of the storm.

The storm missed the business part of town by only about 500 yards.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

The Supreme Court Declares That It Is Applicable to the Traffic Pool.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Supreme Court has decided the case of the United States versus the Trans-Missouri Freight Association against the railroads.

The opinion was rendered by Justice Peckham. It reverses the decision of the court below and holds that the anti-trust law of 1890 can be applicable to railroad transportation and that the traffic agreement pool is illegal.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Joseph L. Bristow of Kansas to be Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Bing of Hermann, Oregon, to be Commissioner General of the Land office. J. D. Elliot, District Attorney, at South Dakota. Ernest G. Timme of Wisconsin, Auditor for the State and other departments. Commodore Joseph N. Miller, to be Rear Admiral.

BORNE TO THE GRAVE.

Impressive Funeral of the Late Mrs. Lucy Rogers.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Rogers, who died of old age Saturday, was held in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. James Small conducted the services.

A large number of sorrowing friends gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of the dead.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The music was furnished by the choir of the First Christian Church. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Rogers was 83 years old and had been a church member for 71 years. She leaves four children, Mrs. A. Snyder, Mrs. L. M. Levy, Mrs. A. Pearson and Sol D. Rogers, besides a number of grand and great-grand children. Mrs. Rogers was highly esteemed in this community, where she had lived for so many years, and she was loved by all who knew her.

HE PRAYED AT THE TOMB.

How Emperor William Did Honor to His Great Grand Sire.

Centennial of the Birth of the First William of Germany.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 22.—The ceremonies attending the celebration of the centenary of the birth of Emperor William I, the grandfather of the present Emperor, which began yesterday, and will end Tuesday, continued today, commencing with the early visit of the Emperor and Empress to the mausoleum of William I.

Their majesties, who received an ovation all along the route, spent a quarter of an hour in silent prayer at the tomb and returned to Berlin soon after 9 o'clock.

At 9 o'clock the troops decorated with the new memorial medals and a detachment of sailors took up the positions assigned them on Unter den Linden.

About 10:30 o'clock the Emperor, in the uniform of the Garde du Corps, arrived and was welcomed with enthusiastic hurrahs: "Hochs" and the waving of handkerchiefs.

His majesty halted before the late grandfather's palace and ordered the flags and standards stored therein, to be brought out.

The Emperor then rode at the head of the colors leading the troops to the festival square.

The monument was unveiled at 11:30 A. M.

The royal personages were beneath the magnificent tent, facing the monument.

They included the Empress and the ex-Empress of Frederick, the Kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg. The privileged spectators numbered about 3,000.

His Majesty occupied a position on horseback in front of the royal tent, facing the monument.

Drums and trumpets called to prayer.

A special trumpet corps sounded the hymn "Loebadenn Herrn."

Rev. Dr. Faber delivered a prayer, trumpets and drums following with a grand burst of music.

The Emperor then ordered the monument unveiled, the troops presented arms and there was a loud cheer.

The massed bands played the Prussian national anthem. A salute of 101 guns was fired from Lustmarten adjoining and all the church bells rang.

The ceremonies ended with a chorus played by a special trumpet corps.

During the ceremony the colors and flags captured from the French during the war of 1870-71 were displayed. Both sides of the monument are surmounted by a circle of cannon ornamented with oak leaves, also captured from the French.

All troops taking part in the ceremony were under the personal command of the Emperor. The Grand Marshal, Count Von Eulenberg, has been decorated by the Emperor with the order of the Black Eagle.

Will Go Abroad.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate in executive session confirmed Powell Clayton to be Minister to Mexico; W. M. Osborne, Consul-General to London; J. K. Gowdy as Consul-General to Paris.

OAKLAND IN 1860.

Oakland in 1860 was a modest hamlet—small in population and in size. Oakland in 1896 is a big, prosperous city. The Whitney Transfer Company was small in 1860. Now in 1896, it does the largest express business in Oakland. Good things grow amazingly well. Telephone Main 12 for a move.

THEY DIED AT PRAYER.

Armenians Attacked and Slaughtered by Turks.

THE OUTRAGE IN A CHURCH.

Fear That Massacres May Again Break Out in Turkey.

EFFECT OF THE CRETE BLOCKADE

How the United States Could Be Interested in It.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 22—The opinion prevails here that the blockade of Crete by the fleets of the foreign Powers which commenced yesterday, will be useless as Colonel Vassos commander of the Greek army of occupation is well supplied with provisions It is thought that the best means to accomplish the withdrawal of the Greek troops from Crete would be to withdraw the Turkish troops

Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander in Macedonia has telegraphed the Minister of War not to send any further reinforcements on account of the scarcity of provisions The commander of the Turkish squadron just made ready for sea, has received sealed orders, but it is not believed that the warships will leave Gallipoli

The Turks at Tokat, yesterday, attacked the Armenians in church

Fifteen were killed. It is feared that this outbreak marks the renewal of the massacres.

HIGHLANDERS FOR CRETE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VALIETA, Island of Malta March 22—The Seaforth Highlanders have sailed for Canea Crete in the transport Clyde. They will arrive Wednesday.

BLOCKADE OF CRETE.

The Powers Take a Hand in the Trouble With the Greeks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22—Secretary of State Sherman has been notified that a pacific blockade of Crete was begun at 9 o clock Sunday morning. The notification was made in concert by the representatives of the six signatory Powers to the Berlin treaty, Great Britain, Italy France, German Austria-Hungary and Russia

The language of the several notes is identical They formally announced the commencement of the blockade of Cretan ports against ships flying the Greek flag It is further declared that merchant vessels of neutral powers, including the United States, will not be disturbed in their usual commercial ventures providing cargoes contain no merchandise for the use by the Greeks or insurgents of the island Such vessels, however, will be subject to inspection by the blockading warships of the concerted squadrons

There is little likelihood that the United States will give its assent to the blockade, or in fact, even notice the communications of the several Powers Mr. Sherman said the matter, because of its remote interest to this Government had not been considered in any way

It is not likely to receive consideration until a merchant vessel of the United States attempting to enter Cretan ports, is prevented by the blockading ships The master of the American ship would in this case call the matter to the Navy Department and President McKinley would then have to decide upon a policy

In view of the fact that only three vessels flying the American flag passed through the Suez canal in the year 1895, two of which were private yachts and the third a warship, and only one also a warship, in 1896 it is apparent there is little possibility of the United States becoming involved

While Secretary Sherman declined to discuss the matter in any way the older officials of the State Department take the ground that should the case arise the United States would be likely to refuse to recognize the blockade There are no precedents for refusing to recognize a blockade, but there are many eminent international lawyers, who contend that a 'pacific blockade" for the purpose of coercion are in violation of the laws of nations

RUSSIA'S GUARANTEE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

COPENHAGEN, March 22—The semi-official Heilingste Tidinge publishes a dispatch from Athens saying that an agreement had been concluded whereby Russia guarantees the integrity of the Turkish Empire in return for an island in the Mediterranean and the peninsula of Mount Athos.

The numberless inferior imitations prove conclusively that 'Cracker-Jack' is all right Insist upon getting the genuine article with the big R s on the package

Watch this Space for Levin's Announcement

RUDOLPH HEROLD, Jr.

Excellence of His Appointment as Harbor Commissioner.

RUDOLPH HEROLD.

Among the very creditable appointments made by Governor Budd is that of Rudolph Herold, Jr., to be a member of the State Harbor Commission, having control of the harbor front of the City and County of San Francisco. Mr. Herold received the distinguished compliment of unanimous confirmation by a Senate which was of opposite political faith

Mr Rudolph Herold, Jr, is a native son of the State of California, having been born in the City and County of San Francisco on the 19th day of July, 1855 He is a son of the late Rudolph Herold, the distinguished musician, who spent a life time in California and whose musical abilities were recognized the world over When quite a youth Mr. Herold entered the service of the Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Company in a subordinate position, and it speaks volumes for his meritorious service and ability that he has advanced steadily until in 1883 when he was made general agent of that company on this coast, which position he has ever since held In the insurance world he stands as high as any other underwriter on the coast and on the 1st of May of this year he will have completed an uninterrupted term of twenty-five years for this company.

Mr Herold is one of our most prominent and advanced German-Americans. He is now, and has been, secretary of the Underwriters' Fire Patrol for the last nine years. He is also a director of the German Hospital and of the German Benevolent Society, and is now the second vice-president of both institutions. He is also a prominent clubman, being a member of the Bohemian, Olympic and Cosmos clubs, the San Francisco Schuetzen Verein and Deutscher Verein, and also Stanford Parlor, N. S. G. W.

Mr. Herold's appointment has given entire satisfaction to the business community of San Francisco, and whilst he does not take his office until March, 1898, it is generally understood that he will devote all necessary time to ascertaining the duties of his position to the end that he may make or assist in making a number of needed improvements.

Mr. Herold has been prominently identified with Democracy in this State for a good many years and served as a member of the Finance Committee and Advisory Committee of the State Central Committee. His appointment is generally approved by all of his friends and is especially gratifying to the Native Sons and the German-Americans.

COURT NEWS

Husband Responsible for Medical Attendance to a Wife.

DECISION BY JUDGE OGDEN.

Feature in the Estate of the Late Mrs. C. Schweiss.

ADMINISTRATORS IN POWER.

Facts of Interest in the Several Tribunals of Alameda County.

Is a husband liable for the medical, nursing and undertaking bills contracted in behalf of his wife? This was a nice little question of law that came up before Judge Ogden this morning. Last July Mrs Charlotte Schweiss died at Berkeley, leaving a husband about 30 years her junior

She had accumulated a small fortune during her lifetime which amounted to $6,800

A few years before her death, she took to herself a young husband.

This step aroused the bitter opposition of her nine brothers and sisters, who objected vigorously to the lady's action

Today the husband A D. Schweiss filed his first account of the expenses and receipts derived from the estate

The expense account includes disbursements for medical attendance, nursing and drugs during Mrs. Schweiss last illness and also small accounts for flowers which brightened the sick room Even the undertaking bill went to swell the account

The brothers and sisters made a protest and Judge Raymond was present in Court to uphold their objections

When A D Schweiss was put on the witness stand and had sworn that his account was correct Judge Raymond began to cross examine him

"Where did you find your deceased wife's bank-books?" queried the Judge

In her private box" answered the witness

"What else did you find there?"

The youthful husband looked annoyed and finally stammered that he had also found a $ 0 gold piece No accounting had been made of this money and the Judge wanted to know what had become of it

Judge Raymond then entered an objection to the payment of the medical and undertaking bills on the grounds that the husband is liable for such debts Judge Ogden sustained the objections and ordered Schweiss to appear next week with his accounts as administrator straightened out

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED

Mrs. Carrie Fr ss Synder was today appointed administrator of the estate of her deceased mother, Mrs. Mary C. Dalziel, who died the early part of this month Mrs. Dalziel left an estate valued at $10 000 and there are two heirs,—a daughter and son

TO SELL PROPERTY.

Judge Ogden granted Mrs. P. H. McGrew the right to sell all property remaining in the estate of her deceased husband. The property is valued at several thousand dollars but claims against the estate amount to $13,000. McGrew was a well known resident of East Oakland.

BOREIN DIVORCE.

Mrs. Peter Borein, wife of the Ex-County Clerk and Recorder was today allowed $40 a month for her support during the pendancy of her divorce action.

From appearances the husband will not contest. He made no appearance in court this morning The woman testified that her husband's fortune had disappeared. The home was mortgaged a short time ago, she said, and $1,900 of the money so obtained remained in the hands of her husband's uncle. Out of this her allowance will be paid.

MAY GO TO WHITTIER.

"Majah" Waters' daughter Sallie whose fourteen years of life have been spent in mischief will probably be sent to Whittier. The attention of Mrs. Sanford has been called to the young one and tomorrow Judge Ogden will officially inquire into the case.

CHARGES CROOKEDNESS.

Attorney O. G. Heaton, one of the creditors of the estate of John C. Lemos, the Haywards grocer, who has been adjudged insolvent, today filed an affidavit in which the charges that some dealings are in progress which would deprive the creditors of a share of the estate if carried out.

The objectionable claim is that of Mrs Filomena Lemos of Haywards, who asserts that the insolvent is indebted to her in the sum of $500 Heaton has searched the Supervisorial records, and from them has ascertained that the woman is now drawing $8 a month from the county for her support

"The claim is not worth one cent," said Heaton, 'for she has declared once that she had nothing Now I have looked the matter up in Haywards and found that the man once boarded with the woman, but furnished her all the groceries for herself, six children and several other boarders If there is a balance it is the other way The claim is spurious and is for the purpose of saving $500 for some one"

The matter was brought up in court today and the attorney presented his argument Judge Ellsworth decided that the affidavit came too late to prevent the election of an assignee and Max Marcuse was appointed. Heaton intends to bring the matter up again when the time comes to pay the pro rata on the claims.

COURT NOTES

No one appeared in court this morning to answer the call of the divorce case of B F Hudelson, and the matter was continued for one week.

Judge Hall today approved the return of Constable Ramage as assignee of the Knox estate of Haywards.

The case of Aylward against the Livermore Water and Power Company was today continued to Thursday.

David Rutherford today brought suit against J. E Andrews to foreclose a $1,400 mortgage given on property in the King tract, Fruitvale.

PRODUCED THE WATCH.

James Warner's Lively Tilt With a Debt Collector.

James Warner had an unpleasant experience in Judge Clift's court this morning He was up on an order of examination, having neglected to pay for a picture of his wife and for his coal. Collector Stewart had seen Warner around town with a very handsome gold watch and chain, and he asked where it was.

Warner replied that it was in San Francisco, in his office Stewart asked if it were not a fact that it was in a store on Broadway Warner replied that it was and a few minutes later it was in the possession of the court, who will hold it pending a settlement

Unfatherly Act.

Moses Barty was arrested by Detectives Holland and Shorey today for failing to provide for his minor child in San Francisco. He was released on a $50 bond.

AT THE OLD RATES.

Arbuckle Brothers Lose Their Suit Against the Sugar Trust.

TRIED TO CONTROL PRICES.

Move to Have a Receiver Appointed Opposed by the Court.

REGULATE THEIR OWN AFFAIRS.

Important Decision by Judge Morrison in a Suit of Great Interest.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 22.—The long expected decision of Judge Morris, in the Common Pleas Court, in the suit of Arbuckle Brothers against the Sugar Trust was delivered this morning. It is in favor of the latter.

The suit was brought by Thomas J. Kuhn and the Arbuckles, the owners of a minority of the stock in the Woolson Spice Company, against the Woolson Spice Company and the leading stock holders of the American Sugar Refining Company for the appointment of a receiver for the Woolson Company, the majority of whose stock has been bought by the Havemeyers of the trust. The plaintiffs declare that the Sugar Trust has purchased this stock to injure the Arbuckle Brothers and to keep them from going into the sugar refining business. He said that his business had been run at a loss and, therefore, the protection of the interests of the minority of the stockholders requires that perpetual injunction be made against the Woolsons selling coffee at a loss and that a receiver be appointed to conduct the business.

Judge Morris holds that the matter of the price at which the company may sell its coffee strictly pertains to the internal agreement of the concern, and as long as they act in good faith, the Directors cannot be interfered with by the Court which cannot restrain a corporation from selling at a low price, even though a minority of the stock holders can show that sound business discretion would dictate a different policy. The testimony, however, showed that the Woolsons were selling at a fair margin of profit. The application for a perpetual injunction is, therefore, denied. With regard to the other point, the Court holds that the agreement of a majority of the stock holders to sell the product for the time at such a price as will drive the competitor out of business will not make the corporation an unawful conspiracy against such a competitor nor liable for his actual loss, nor entitle him to relief in the Courts.

The competitor for the public favor must bow to that law of trade that allows every man to dispose of his own property in the ordinary course of business on such terms as he sees fit.

The motion for the appointment of a receiver is therefore, overruled.

TALE OF TROUBLE.

Doubt as to the Alleged Robbery of Mrs. Lucy Bost.

Mrs. Lucy Bost, a colored woman, was attacked by a couple of burglars and left bound and gagged on the floor of her room at 619 Sixth street Sunday morning. Mrs. Bost claims to have been in San Francisco Saturday night and says she returned on the 10 o'clock boat. On leaving the train at Broadway she met Henry Turner, who accompanied her home and remained there until nearly midnight. About 3 o'clock she was awakened by a noise and opened her eyes to see a couple of men in her room. She attempted to make an outcry and was bound and gagged by the men, who escaped, taking her purse which contained $16. She lay upon the floor of her room until found at 6 o'clock yesterday morning

The police are inclined to discredit the woman's story. They cannot understand how she could have lain for several hours on her floor, when an 18-year-old girl who sleeps in the next room, could have been summoned.

CHANGES HIS MIND.

Dahl Anxious Now to Keep His Daughter Out of Prison.

Papa Wm. Dahl has changed his mind and is now as anxious to save his 16-year old daughter Helen from Whittier as he was to have her sent there a few days ago. Both he and his son, who first stood up in the girl's behalf, are working to have the committment revoked. The sheriff has been asked to assist, and Judge Hall has been petitioned to recall his order.

This combined action will probably have its effect and the girl's chances of being released are momentarily increasing.

WATCHING BALLOTS.

Until the proposed election contest is settled the ballots in the City Clerk's office will be kept under strict surveillance The City Clerk has employed a man named Andrews to watch the ballots during the day and Chief Lloyd has detailed an officer to keep watch from 5 in the evening till 9 o'clock the next morning

The ballots have been sealed three times, Mayor Davie himself having placed one seal upon them

GOES AWAY.

William Huntington, better known among his friends as "Judge," who has lived for the last eight months at the Galindo Hotel, left today for San Francisco, where he will reside in the future.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Ten Days' Sale.

See prices at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

REQUEST REFUSED.

A Woman Indignant Because She Is Not Given Relief.

SHE GOES AFTER MR. ROETH.

Demands His Reason for Declaring Her as Not Worthy.

LADY BUGS FOR FRUIT TREES.

Needs of the County Infirmary Shown to the Board of Supervisors.

This morning's session of the Board of Supervisors was brief, but heated.

All the routine matters of the county had been finished by 11 o'clock and then the Board adjourned for a week.

Mrs. A. J. Trout was given an audience at her request. She called the attention of the Board to the fact that Supervisor Roeth had refused her aid on the ground that she was an unworthy person The lady grew excited as she exclaimed "I want to know the reasons why Mr. Roeth has denied my application. I want him to state his reasons before you all"

A few minutes of excited talk followed, after which the Board sustained Roeth s action by again refe ring the matter to him.

GOOD FRUIT CROP.

Horticultural Commissioner William Barry sent in a written report. It stated that the prospect for a heavy fruit crop had never been better in the history of the county More breeding colonies of ladybird bugs are to be established as soon as possible. The good work done by the insects in removing scale is already apparent.

The Printing Committee refused to order the publication of the ordinance in the Telegram and declined to increase the rate allowed to Echoes for the same work. All the other city and county papers were given the advertising previously. Supervisor Church wanted to know why the discrimination was shown and both Roeth and Wells declared the expense was too great.

COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The County Infirmary made requisition for a large number of vegetable seeds, plants and some apparatus, including a stethescope and a Rhonendenscope. This was granted, after considerable discussion

A large number of residents on Peralta avenue, Elmhurst, petitioned that the name be changed to Talcott avenue. The request was respected and a suitable resolution changed the name.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications for liquor licenses were received from George Giblin, High street, Adam Kraft, Park avenue, H. Barbeau, Telegraph avenue and Forty-ninth street, Antonio Darilla, Alvarado, J D Plitt, San Leandro road, and John Hennengren, Alvarado

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably on the following

C Clundt, Fitchburg, F A Peralta, Forty eighth street, Mrs Maria Thomford, Castro Valley, Albert Silver, Decota, Thomas Walsh, First and Telegraph avenues; T Barbreri, Golden Gate, and C. Delune, Sunol

SOUGHT RELIEF.

Applications for relief were made by W. C. Egles, 817 Peralta street, Mrs. M. Beckinpah, 908 Willow street, Mary Ferere, Twenty-second street, and Charles Fella, 658 Madison street.

The bond of G. A Eaton the newly appointed pound master of Washington district, was approved.

Millions of bottles Yorkshire Relish sold annually.

CHARTER DAY.

How It Will Be Observed at the University Tomorrow.

Tomorrow will be the twenty-ninth anniversary of the founding of the State University and this important day will be commemorated with a fitting celebration.

There is a general feeling of rejoicing at the State University over the recent benefits which the institution has received.

In the morning, beginning at 10 30, exercises will be conducted in Harmon gymnasium The afternoon will be given over to visiting the buildings and places of interest about the campus and in the evening Professor Louis Du Pont Syle's new play, 'The Chaplin s Revenge' will be presented for the first time at Shattuck Hall During the morning the freshmen and sophomores will also celebrate by holding their last "rush" of the year somewhere on the slopes east of the campus At the morning exercises President Kellogg will speak for the university at large, Dr Joseph Le Conte for the faculty, Hon. William R Davis for the alumni and J O Elston for the student body. No special invitations have been issued to the celebration, but a general one has been extended to the public by President Kellogg

In the play to be given in the evening, eighteen students and instructors will be cast, prominent among whom are Instructor Frank Dunn F G Bioletti, Harry H. Hirst, G D Kierulff and J. O Elston Eric Boegel has had charge of the business management and has succeeded in making a large sale of seats The proceeds of the play will go to the Students' Aid Society and to the English department library.

CONFUSION IN ALARMS.

There was considerable confusion in the Fire Department about 11 o clock Saturday night There was a small chimney fire at Fifteenth and San Pablo avenue, for which a still alarm was turned in The box in front of the City Hall was open but a wire had fallen across its wire and it was necessary to turn in another alarm from box 6, at Twelfth and Broadway, which accounted for the confusion of bells An alarm from box 56 had also been sounded When City Electrician Carleton went to the box to remove the key, he could not find his master key and stepped back a few paces under a street light to distinguish the master key from the others on his key ring He left the box open and while his head was turned some miscreant pulled down the hook, thus sending in another alarm, and giving the inhabitants the impression that half the city was afire.

Baby buggies, parasol tops, $7.50 at Meese's 1009-1011 Washington street.

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"Modern" furniture bought or exchanged. Auction sales on premises. Call and see us 462-464 Thirteenth street.

BORN.

HENNING—In this city, March 20, 1897, to the wife of Mr Henning, a son.

MARRIED.

BAUMAN—PETERSON—In this city, March 18 1897, by Rev. A. Jatho, Peter Bauman and Ida Peterson, both of San Francisco.

DIED.

DAVIES—In this city, March 21, 1897, Mary Davies a native of the parish of Llanddewi Radnorshire Wales, aged 88 years, 2 months and 3 days.

KRESS—In Alameda, March 20, 1897, Mrs. Elizabeth Kress, a native of San Francisco aged 22 years and 9 months

MACKAY—In Berkeley March 20, 1897, Amalia Mackay a native of Berkeley, aged 6 years 1 month and 20 days.

NICHOLS—At the County Infirmary, March 21, 1897, John Nichols, a native of Boston, Mass, aged 55 years

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Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals—Pursuant to statute and to Resolution No. 22 775 of the Council of the City of Oakland, adopted March 9th, 1897 directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o clock P M of the 2 h day of March 1897 sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done according to the plans and specifications posted and on file and adopted by said Council March 9th 1897, to-wit

That East Twelfth street in said city, between the sewer in 1st avenue and 11th avenue be sewered on each side with an 8 inch vitrified ironstone sewer as follows From the sewer in 1st avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue, from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue to the sewer in 5th avenue, from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue to the sewer in 6th avenue, from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue from the sewer in 9th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue from the sewer in 10th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue and that 20 Y branches of 8 inch opening and 180 Y branches of 6 inch opening be constructed thereon, also a brick manhole be constructed thereon at each of the following points At the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 2nd avenue, at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 3rd avenue, at the northeastern side of the crossing of 5th avenue at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 6th avenue, at the northeastern side of the crossing of 8th avenue, at the northeastern side of the crossing of 9 h avenue, at the northeastern side of the crossing of 10th avenue Also that a lamphole be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points At 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue, at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue, at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue, at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue, at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue Also that gratings with conduit pipe 8 inches diameter be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points At 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 1st avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 2nd avenue, at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue, at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 5th avenue, at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 6th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 8th avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 8th avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 9th avenue, at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 10th avenue, also that a grating with 8 inch conduit pipe be constructed on each side of East 12th street at points 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 7th avenue and connected with the sewer in 7th avenue. Also that 2 brick cat h-basins with 10 inch conduit pipe be constructed at points 2 feet southwesterly from the northeastern line of East 12th street in each of the following street crossings to-wit 4th avenue, 5th avenue, 6th avenue 7th avenue, 8th avenue, 9th avenue and 10th avenue

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid either a check, payable to the order of the Mayor of said city certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or else a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer, competent to administer an oath in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland, City Hall, March 22nd, 1897

J W. TOMPKINS
City Clerk

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

SITUATION WANTED by a competent person to do general housework, Protestant, references Union Hotel Thirteenth ave and Twelfth st, E Oakland.

FOR RENT—House of twelve rooms, containing all modern improvements, located at Fortieth and San Pablo ave. Enquire J. F. McCourtney, on premises.

RESPECTABLE young man, first class cook, and wife, neat accomplished waitress, desire situations Apply J. P. Johnston & Co, 872 Broadway

FOUND—A gray horse on the 16th Owner can have same by paying expense and proving property. 714 Twenty-fifth.

A YOUNG WOMAN wants to do upstairs work or light housework. Call 674 Twenty-sixth st.

No. 2266.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

UNION NATIONAL BANK

At Oakland, in the State of California at the Close of Business, March 9, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$604 343 84
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	156,959 81
U S Bonds to secure circulation	60 000 00
Premiums on U. S Bonds	3 161 75
Stocks, securities, etc	64,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6,047 10
Other real estate and mortgages owned	12,698 01
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,221 06
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,966 33
Due from approved reserve agents	4,361 42
Checks and other cash items	245 71
Exchanges for clearing house	2,496 83
Notes of other National Banks	495 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	25 96
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz Specie, $117,410 50, legal tender notes, $307	117,717 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	$1,020,064 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$150,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,618 67
National Bank notes outstanding	45 000 00
Due to other National Banks	6 861 64
Dividends unpaid	1,650 00
Individual deposits subject to check	357,492 35
Demand certificates of deposit	172,461 55
Certified checks	4,090 21
Bills payable	120 000 00
Total	$1,020 064 52

State of California, County of Alameda ss.

I, C. E Palmer, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C E PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1897.

(L S) W. L PRATHER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. S FARRELLY,
JOHN CHAS ADAMS,
THOS. PRATHER,
Directors.

No 2248.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Oakland, in the State of California, at the Close of Business, March 9, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$440,365 63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1 898 71
U. S Bonds to secure circulation	50 000 00
Premiums on U S Bonds	4,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc	22,249 48
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6,500 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	86,349 84
Due from State Banks and Bankers	37,629 58
Due from approved reserve agents	68 232 60
Checks and other cash items	2 935 73
Notes of other National Banks	200 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	816 73
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz Specie, $65,649, legal tender notes, $206	65,855 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)	2 250 00
Total	$776,385 19

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$300,000 00
Surplus fund	27,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12 025 47
National bank notes outstanding	34 850 00
Due to other National Banks	23,349 22
Due to State Banks and Bankers	661 76
Dividends unpaid	6 360 00
Individual deposits subject to check	222,179 65
Demand certificates of deposit	148,713 44
Certified checks	245 65
Total	$775 385 19

State of California, County of Alameda ss

I, L G Burpee Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief

L G BURPEE Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1897.

(Seal) F S PAGE,
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

Correct—Attest

P. E. BOWLES
WALLACE EVERSON,
W. H. CHICKERING,
Directors.

LOST—On Vernon Heights Sunday afternoon, a chinchilla fur cape. Return to 1154 Brush st. and receive reward.

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WANTED—Young ladies to learn millinery; artistically and thoroughly taught spring class now forming. 62-63 Macdonough building

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"PERSONAL"—An elegant present will be given with each lot of $10 worth of household goods Our prices are the lowest and speak for themselves. Do you want a fine rocker at half price; see them at H Schellhaas, the furniture dealer, 408 Eleventh st.

UPHOLSTERING and fitting up houses, including carpet laying. 561 14th st. C. Koehler.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture and household goods than you can get anywhere J A. Munro & Co., 1617-19 Park st , Alameda.

"WANTED"—Buyers for bedroom and parlor furniture. We make it a special inducement to cash purchasers A lot of fancy cobbler seat rockers, they must be closed out at once Do you want a half dozen high back chairs If so see them at H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st.

ATTORNEYS.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney- at-law, City Justices' Court Building, SE cor. Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal, practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor San Francisco

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of Ninth street, Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

GREEN MAJORS, Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public 1003½ Broadway.

ALLVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law room 3, district attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law 861 Broadway.

R M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE, JR.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon, office Central block, 1062 Broadway, Oakland.

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THE NOTED Scandinavian, palmistry and future, can be consulted daily from 11 A. M to 10 P. M , at 955 Webster st , near Ninth, Oakland. Madame Pinchetti

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PICTURES FRAMED at 25 per cent reduction, 40 on framed stock instalments or rent, finest and largest stock in town. Wilhelm's Art Store, Twelfth and Clay. Bargains in organs

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"FOR SALE"—Furniture and household articles. We are offering bargains in bedsteads and mattresses, bed sofas, lounges, carpets, mattings, stoves and ranges, crockery and glassware. H. Schellhaas, 408 Eleventh st. Come and see us.

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$1,100—Modern cottage of five rooms, bath, hall and basement on Butler avenue, in good location, in Golden Gate. Sell on small monthly payments or rent for $10 per month. Photograph at office. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st

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ST. PAUL, 836 Broadway (formerly Smith House) has been newly renovated and has cleanest rooms and beds in Oakland, transients solicited. Mrs. L. E. Davis, prop.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping, modern improvements; near local trains; also nice flat cheap. Apply 421 Sixth st.

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FOR RENT—One handsome suit on top floor looks over the city, very pleasant, healthy and sunny, reasonable. 953½ Washington st.

FURNISHED ROOMS at Elworth House, 856 Washington and 470½ Seventh sts. Transients solicited.

TRUNKS MOVED, 25c. each 424 Tenth st.

A LARGE sunny room 907 Fifth ave.; convenient to local train; $7.

NICELY furnished rooms with board if desired, at private residence 317 Fourteenth st., near Harrison; convenient to local trains.

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THREE unfurnished rooms for housekeeping 468 Eighth st bet. Washington and Broadway.

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MAN AND WIFE to room and board; or two gentlemen. Apply 1224 Franklin st.

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ELEGANT—Two furnished houses, each 5 rooms, 1707 and 1709 Pacific st , rent $10; key at 908 Washington st., at Dr. Sander's

LODGING HOUSE, fourteen rooms, new building, end of cable San Pablo ave., plenty of demand for rooms from race track, rent $30, keys at building.

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TO LET—Modern cottage of 6 rooms, with high basement. 1115 West st. Rent reasonable.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—On account of ill health, the owner of two nice five room modern cottages, with lot 66x100, in a good location and not far distant from local train, will sell at a bargain for a period of 10 days These cottages rent for $35 per month and are always occupied. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., East Oakland

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FURNISHED FLAT—916½ Franklin st., bet Eighth and Ninth sts., 7 rooms, for 3 parties for housekeeping as a whole, or to separate parties, rent low to responsible parties, key 916 at store

UPPER FLOOR of three sunny rooms to let for housekeeping, rent $10. 1360 Webster st

FLATS WANTED

FLAT WANTED—A modern sunny flat or cottage furnished or unfurnished, wanted, with carpets and parlor furniture; four or five rooms. Address C. H. W., Tribune office.

HALLS TO LET.

CHAPMAN HALL, 414 Eleventh st., for dancing only. Apply at hall, 9 to 12.

GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply 1118 Broadway.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—English pug dog; answers to the name of Punch Liberal reward by returning to 566 Thirty-third st.

LOST—Gold rimmed eyeglasses and ladies' hand satchel Return to A. Jacobs & Co , 958 Washington st , and receive reward.

LOST—MONDAY EVENING BETWEEN Seventh and Washington and Eighth and Grove streets lady's gold watch with monogram. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

"FOUND"—If you are in doubt where to look for household goods, bear in mind H. Schellhaas store, 408 Eleventh st. Special inducement to large purchasers. See our line of fine blankets at very low prices. Mattings by the yard or roll.

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$1,950—Completely furnished modern five roomed cottage two blocks from San Pablo avenue cable. Street work complete. Price unfurnished $1,700. Owner compelled to go to Los Angeles to live. Easy terms of payment. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st.

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CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers, buy at home and save money. 662-664 East Twelfth, cor. Eleventh ave. Tel. 1011 main.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

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MRS. HAROLD'S Employment Bureau, 515 Eighth st., furnishes first class help of all nationalities at short notice.

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COMPETENT GIRL wishes situation to do light housework, wages $12. 1213 Kirkham st.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Mrs. Cattell, 525 Eighth st., near Clay; German, Scandinavian, all nationalities; referenced cooks, nurses, second girls, coachmen, gardeners, etc. Tel. 3201-black.

SWISS-GERMAN GIRL wishes situation to do general housework or upstairs work, is a good cook. Call 1658 Fourteenth ave cor. E. 23d st.

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A RESPECTABLE young woman wishes situation to take care of children and do upstairs work. Address H. W., Fruitvale

A NEAT, reliable Swedish girl desires a situation to do second work or housework and cooking Address Miss Lindberg, Golden Gate P. O., Alameda Co. No postals.

PRACTICAL NURSE wants nursing week or night, $8 to $10 per week. 718 Twenty-fifth st.

WANTED—Situation, by a Swedish girl to do general housework or second work. Apply 2566 Telegraph ave.

WANTED—Your orders for male and female help of all kinds. Employment Bureau, 511 Thirteenth st., near Washington. Tel. Main 112.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—RESPECTABLE WOMAN for general housework. Small family. 559 East Sixteenth street.

THREE good lady solicitors to take orders, light work and good pay to the right parties. Call on Mr. Spencer, room 14, Brown's Building, 478½ Tenth st , from 8 to 10 and 4 to 5:30 Tuesday and Wednesday.

WANTED—A neat elderly woman or girl of 14 years to assist in housework in exchange for good home. Address O. K., box 4, Tribune office

MALE HELP WANTED.

AN ENERGETIC MAN wanted to represent the Manhattan Food Company's products in Alameda County; a good man with small capital can build up a business that will pay well. Address C. Kerwell, box 107, San Mateo.

TRAVELING SALESMAN—Exclusive or side line, very profitable, no samples; legitimate. Address Box 603, Columbus, O.

SALESMAN—$75 monthly, salary and expenses, greatest money maker ever offered, steady work; experience unnecessary. Jay Nichols, manufacturer, Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS—We have invented a new device for printing signs on fences, bridges rocks—any rough surface Six colors at once, any size You can sell one in every store. Arc Co., Racine, Wis.

UNIMPROVED FOR SALE.

$175—Good lot 40x100 between Grove and West sts.

$350—Lot 31x132 (macadamized and sewered), Chestnut near Twenty-eighth st. Worth $600. Go and see it.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—AN OFFER.

FINE LARGE CORNER LOT ON TWENTY-THIRD AVE., ON THE LINE OF TWO ELECTRIC ROADS.

FIELD REALTY CO.,

1128 23RD AVE., EAST OAKLAND.

SNAP!—$7 per foot, worth $15, beautiful lot 44x100, Clinton Mound tract, right in town, 12 min. from Bdway, charming view, healthy location, 3 min. from electrics; must sell; owner going East. Address T. Ellis, this office.

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FOR EXCHANGE—Two new high grade bicycles worth $170 for good, gentle family horse. Inquire at Tribune office.

TO EXCHANGE for Oakland or San Francisco property, or for irrigation bonds, 1700 acres of first class pasture and farming land, unincumbered, several hundred acres of this land can be cultivated, and the soil very rich; a growth of large white oak timber on the land; would make an excellent hog or stock ranch, located about twenty miles from the town of Santa Maria, Santa Barbara County, California. Address W. G. Taylor, P. O. Box 473, Oakland.

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EASTERN DRESSMAKER desires engagements; $2 a day. Address Dressmaker, box 4, this office.

DRESSMAKER and seamstress wishes engagements, $1 per day. Address M. S., box 1, this office.

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FOR SALE—A first class family route in East Oakland, serving from 300 to 400 loaves of bread daily, cakes, pies, etc., also one new wagon, two good horses and harness, an excellent opportunity. Apply at Thomson's Bakery, 40 San Pablo ave., opp. City Hall, Oakland.

MOST SUCCESSFUL second class hotel in Oakland, good business; best reasons for immediate sale; no equities; no agents. Bargain, box 2, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—A rare chance; seed and florist business established for years, long lease; rent nominal, a splendid opportunity for man and wife; will be sold less than cost of buildings. Address W. H., box 4, this office.

IMPROVED FOR SALE.

$2,500—House of eight rooms with lot 100x133 and windmill, on improved street near cars and trains. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st.

$1,400—Large cottage of five rooms and bath, on Felton st., Golden Gate. Will sell on monthly payments or rent for $10 per month. Newly painted and papered. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth st.

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The Arch-Duchess of Austria it is said, can hold a grown man in air with one hand. Women generally do not care to be athletic to such a degree, but most women desire physical strength, power and energy.

Too thin women and over-stout women, are both "out of condition;" they both lack the best sort of physical development. If their digestive and assimilative functions were perfect, the thin woman would gain flesh; the stout one would lose it. This is why Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery builds up strength in both stout and thin people.

It empowers the blood-making organs to supply fresh red, highly vitalized blood which builds up solid, healthy flesh to the normal standard but above that point reduces and carries away flabby fat. It brings you into "condition;" imparts nerve force and stamina; rounds out sunken faces and meagre forms; smoothes away wrinkles; puts color in the cheeks and sparkle in the eyes. Its nutritive properties far exceed those of any malt extract or vile "emulsion."

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Stomach and liver trouble with sluggish action of the bowels is overcome speedily and permanently by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

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DR. CHAS. P. EVERTS, Dentist, 26 Montgomery st , San Francisco, rooms 1-2-3, office hours 9 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

DR. W. E. TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-224; hours 9-12 and 1-5; Tel 1381 R d.

J. DIMMICK, Dentist, has returned from Oregon and can be found at old stand, 875 Washington st.

S. A. HACKETT, D. D, S., removed to 1168 Washington st , S. E. cor. of 14th.

J. M. DUNN. D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P M.

FULL SET OF TEETH, $7; warranted 5 years, painless extraction; see our new combination plate; thinnest, lightest, coolest plate made warranted 10 years; fillings 50c, crowns $3.50, Chicago Dental Parlors, 24 Sixth st , San Francisco

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PROF. FRANK PALMER, Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $3; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6. Instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Bandurria and Spanish Lute, $1 per lesson. Studio, 476 Thirteenth st., cor. Washington, parlor 5.

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WOOED AND MATED.

Andrew Costa, a resident of Oakland, aged 23, and Mamie Ghiradelli, a resident of Oakland, aged 18; by Judge F. C Clift.

Nathan A. Cornish, a resident of San Francisco, aged 4 , and Harriet J. Hines, a resident of San Francisco, aged 45; by Judge F. C. Clift.

James E. Lewis a resident of Alameda, aged 22, and Annie E. Schuhmann, a resident of San Leandro, aged 19; by Judge F. C Clift.

Charles Martin Stein, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22, and May Francis Kenny, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19; by Judge F. C. Clift.

John Quincy Nutter, a resident of Gosten, aged 46, and Melanie Locke, a resident of San Francisco, aged 39; by Judge F C Clift

Leopold Denmire, a resident of Oakland, aged 33, and Annie Brockmeyer, a resident of Oakland, aged 22; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Anthony D Dorrett, a resident of Chico, aged 30, and Margaret B. Collins, a resident of Chico, aged 27; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Arthur Lewis Boothrough, a resident of Oakland, aged 40, and Emilie Agusta Draheim, a resident of Oakland, aged 29, by Judge F C. Clift.

John W. Gomersall, a resident of Haywards, aged 3 , and Elizabeth Ann Cordell, a resident of Haywards, aged 50, by Rev. R. W. Gober.

John J McKenna, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30 and Mary A. Powers, a resident of Oakland, aged 29; by Judge F C Clift.

William J. Driechmeyer, a resident of San Jose, aged 4, and Lila Johnson, a resident of Oakland, aged 20; by Judge H. T Morris.

R T McPherson a resident of Stockton, aged 23, and Luther O. Johnson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 18; by Rev. S. S. Palmer.

Harry Gelden, a resident of Oakland, aged 23 and Helen V. Green, a resident of Oakland, aged 19; by Rev. Chas. W. Wendte

Edward F Dirking a resident of San Francisco, aged 24, and Barbara E. Strycker a resident of San Leandro, aged 22, by Rev. D Nugent.

William Meehan a resident of Oakland, aged 27, and Annie Welch, a resident of Oakland, aged 28; by Rev. Thomas McSween.

August P. Schumacher, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25, and Pauline F. Kaiser, a resident of Oakland, aged 23; by Rev A Jatho.

Charles S Armstrong, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 and Alexandria C. Spencer, a resident of Lorin, aged 19; by Rev. J. J Vogel.

Arthur M. Carter, a resident of Fruitvale, aged 26 and Elizabeth Jane Hall, a resident of Fruitvale, aged 23; by Judge E L. Lawrence.

George W Amten, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32 and Mamie Sloan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 20; by Rev. F. D. Bovard.

Robert H. Flake, a resident of San Francisco, aged 5, and Flora Carrie Althof, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22, by Rev C. R. Dodson.

Harry O. Warren, a resident of Alameda, aged 19, and Nora Bell Dayhuff, a resident of Alameda, aged 20; by Rev. F. D. Bovard.

William A. T. Savage, a resident of San Francisco, aged 36, and Maggie Sullivan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25, by Rev. Thomas McSweeny.

Clarence W Ayers, a resident of Sonora, aged 39, and Charlotte E. Lynn, a resident of Sonora, aged 36; by Judge W. H. H. Gentry.

Jasper M von Bulow a resident of San Francisco, aged 19 and Mary G. Mossman, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

Thomas J. Kennedy, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25, and Delia Leonard, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21; by Rev. J. A. Butler.

Look twice before you buy. Genuine "Cracker Jack" has [illegible] on the package. It costs no more. See that you get it.

Mother's Musk is a breakfast delight.

TELEGRAPH AVENUE HOLES

J. F. W. Sohst Has Something to Say About Filling Them.

The Controversy Over the Subject With the Superintendent of Streets.

The following letter which explains itself has been received at this office:

"OAKLAND, March 22, 1897.

"To the Editor of the Tribune:—Permit me a small space in your paper in answer to an insinuation made by Mr. Miller, that the reports on Telegraph avenue by the committee of the Merchants' Exchange are purely political.

"I was informed by Mr. Miller that Mr. Benham was trying to get his position. I will state that I have not spoken to the last named gentleman for a year, neither to Mr. Thomas, his partner and Mayor-elect, further than saying that I don't care who is Street Superintendent, but when appointed on a committee, I shall discharge my duty without fear or favor.'

In a previous communication he says that the street department spends about $100,000 a year and it is the duty of the Street Superintendent, among other things, to see that this large sum of money is wisely, judiciously and economically expended.

"I fully agree with Mr. Miller on this point, but I can not understand how the street department could expend $80 for making a diagram. In other words a picture of the chuckholes on Telegraph avenue.

"And a great majority of the people of Oakland, say, at the rate of eight and one-half cents per square foot, this wasted $80 would have filled in nearly 950 holes, one foot square. What good is the picture now to the taxpayers, since the holes are filled in? Not one cent.

"Mr Miller also says it is not true that the holes have been filled in twice or three times. Mr. Theodore Radtke of Eighteenth and Telegraph avenue will make affidavit that they have been filled in three times— the first time with red rock and horse fillings. He drew the attention of the neighbors to it at the time. Previous to this the holes had been measured three different times.

Mr. Miller has signaled me out of all the people who objected to his mode of repairing bituminized streets.

Mr. Chappellet and Mr. Robert Dalziel denounced his method before the City Council in Mr. Miller's presence, in much stronger language than I have ever used. Why doesn't he quote them occasionally.

"A member of the Grand Jury, since Councilman-elect, wanted this matter brought before the Grand Jury. He thought it should be stopped by somebody. He referred to the filling of the holes on Telegraph avenue with rock. Mr. Miller knows this gentleman also, why don't he go for him?

"Why did he not convince the City Council and prevent it from passing the ordinance which it did, without a dissenting voice, in Mr. Miller's presence, disregarding all his efforts that he used to the last minute to defeat?

"The Merchants' Exchange received reports from Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Brown and myself at nearly every meeting, if they had not been satisfied with the work of their committee they would long since have discharged us. Yours truly J. F. W. SOHST."

LETTER LIST.

Aitken, S N	Andrews, Miss
Armstrong, D F	Armstrong, Avery
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Baker, Mrs Ida C	Bailey, Miss H
Bann, W B	Barnard, Miss A M
Barnes, Miss Cella A	Barnard, W J
	Benn, Mrs Addie
Beal, A M	Beck, Peter
Belmore, Irene	Bennett, G W
Berger, Nelson J	Bertram, C S
Bevin, Miss Josephine	Bourkman, Jennie
	Brady, Mrs Wm
Broder & Schlam	Brown, J H F
Brown, Nellie	Brownlee, George L
Brungus, Capt	Buckley, Chester K
Buham, Mrs Maggie	Burnham, Clara H
Bushey, Geo	
Callan, Mr	Cairnes, Minnie
Cassells, J D	Chapel, Mrs H G
Chittenden & Clark	Chopmen, Miss
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Colcord, Stella Gladys	Converse, E
	Cook, J J
Cornwall, Dr Ambrose	Corybell, Joe
	Crooker, Fred D
Culhane, C A	Culver, Mrs F A
Cunningham, John	
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Dwinells, Mrs Caroline E	Dunn, Orrin W
	Duncan, W
Duncan, N G	
Eastman, Chas R	
Fay, Mrs Rosamond	Fisher, G C
Franklin, Mary B	Fraser, J B
Frost, Daisy	
Gish, Mrs E L	Grant, Geo P
Greer, Mrs J W	
Hanna, Mrs	Hanson, Mrs A
Hansen, Miss Emma	Harris, W F
Hatter, L F	Hawes, Mrs Retta A
Haywards, Mrs Minnie	Hays, Fannie
	Heato, Jennie
Heaton, Mrs	Henderson, Mrs Jemette
Hemmingway, Rose	
Heyman, Mrs	Higgins, Mrs Harrie
Hicks, J L	Hill, Mrs
Hofleng, Mary	Howell, Miss Kate
Hoyt, Wm H	Hughes, Jerry
Hunt, Mrs M E	
Immun, Miss S D	Ingalls, Mrs
Jacobson, Mrs Hannah	Johansson, Mrs Charlotta
Johnson, Mrs	Johnson, Jno
Johnson, Miss L G	Jorhem, Fred
Jones, Mrs J	Jordan, Miss Lillie
Kelly Bros, druggists	Klewish, Mrs A
Lang, Mr	Lentz, Mrs Minnie
Lilastrom, Mary	Loveland, Mrs M H
Lovell, Mrs Lizzie	
Malone, Ed	Maxwell, Robt
McBrierty, C	McCullough, Mrs
McGrath, Christie	McKinley, Jim
Meltus, N S	Mernagh, Miss C
Mills, Frank H	Miller, Germa
Miller, Mrs J N Jr	Miller, Walter R
Moffett, Elijah S	Mooney, Annie
Monroe, Capt Geo E	Moore, Mrs T A
Morgan, Geo	
Nielson, Mrs M V	Nye, J
O'Conner, Mrs J	O'Hara, Miss Della
Painter, Mrs	Palmer, Miss
Parish, C D	Paterson, Mrs Hattie
Penin, E R	
Pereau, L	Peterson, Mrs A B
Phelps, E S	Pimentel, M M
Prentice, Howard	Pritchard, Mrs Polly
Pulits, Mrs	Pumyea, Mrs Mattie
Redfield, D	Reisome, Mrs E
Renton, Hamilton	Reiser, A A
Rex, H A	Rhea, Walter
Risberg, Mr	Robertson, Mary K
Robinson, W J	Roland, Mrs Lou
Rourke, J J	
Sanders, Clarence	Sellwood, Mrs
Sharp, R G	Shimasaki, M
Siedentopf, H R	Silva, George
Silven, Emma A	Simms, Mrs S A
Smith, Mrs K	Soule, Anna
Stillwaggon, Mrs Mary	Stine, Miss
	Suleta, Mrs
Taylor, Mrs Lizzie	Taylor, Lina
Teeple, Miss L	Terry, Mrs Alma
Thomas, Cuyler	Tigner, L
Tillison, Addie	Togue, Mrs
Tracey, Miss	Tyman, A
Tungsten, Felix	Tucker, Mrs Irene
Van Dyke, J N	Viguier, Mrs
Voorheis, Gertrude	
Walters, Peter	Warner, G
Welch, Mrs Cornelia	Wells, D M
	Wheeler, Carrie A
White, Mrs May	Wilby, Mrs
Williams, Miss Nannie	Wilson, George R
	Winston, Mrs J W
Wank, Mrs S	Winter, S H
Wolf, Mrs Rachel	Wright, Maggie
Wright, Mrs S C	Wylie, Mrs A E
Zumwalt, Isiah	

Miscellaneous — Pacific Engineering School, Thomson Bridge Co.

Postage Due—G Andersson, Hanna Johansson.

J. J. WHITE, Postmaster.

(Official.)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, March 15th, 1897

The Board of Supervisors met at ten o'clock A. M. The roll was called and all members were found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without alteration.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS.

The following named persons made application for relief and were referred to the Supervisors hereinafter named:

TO SUPERVISOR CHURCH.

Wm. Harrison, aged 73 years, residing on Second street, between Franklin and Webster, native of Indiana, widower, with one child.

TO SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.

Jacintha Rosa, aged 89 years, residing at 1515 Third street, native of Portugal, and a widow

Mrs. Spillane, aged 80 years, residing at 1111 Third street, a native of Portugal, widow, and one child.

Mrs. M Araos, residing in Temescal, native of California, married, one child.

Mrs. Alice Flaherty, aged 44 years, residing at 1405 Eighteenth street, native of Ireland widow and six children.

TO SUPERVISOR ROETH.

Mrs. M. L. Evans of 1064 Eleventh avenue, aged 57 years, nativity Chili, widow.

TO HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Thos. Jones, race track, aged 22 years, native of California and unmarried.

Wm Koss, Elmhurst, age 58 years, native of Germany, single.

APPLICATION FOR PERMITS.

Applications were received from C. Delmue, Sunol.

G Barbreri, Golden Gate.

Thomas Walsh, First avenue and Telegraph.

Albert Silver, Decoto.

C. Clundt, Fitchburg

Maria Thomford, Castro Valley Exchange

Fred A. Peralta, Forty-eighth and Telegraph avenue.

Accompanying each application were bonds in proper form and correct amount, which were upon motion duly approved and the applications referred to the Judiciary Committee.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

Reported favorably upon the applications of R. Cavagna, F. Bormann, Chris Bocken and Jacob Johnson, and thereafter appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors.

CONCRETE RESERVOIR, COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Church.

"Resolved, That the Hospital Committee be and the committee is hereby authorized to proceed in the matter of the construction of a concrete reservoir at the County Infirmary to request and to receive bids for the construction of said reservoir according to plans and specifications drawn and now in the office of the County Surveyor, and that it be further resolved that the cost of said reservoir shall not exceed the sum of $2,900 Bill for same to be paid out of the County Infirmary Fund."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4. Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

COMPROMISE OF SUIT OF DUNN VS. ALAMEDA CO.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Church:

"Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, that the District Attorney of said County of Alameda be and he is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to enter into a stipulation with the plaintiff in the case entitled J. P. Dunn vs. the County of Alameda, now pending in the Justice's Court of Oakland Township, Alameda County, California, and numbered 14 149, whereby said plaintiff in said case may be authorized and allowed to take judgment and to have the same entered against the said defendant in said case, the County of Alameda, for the sum of $126 00 without costs."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Roeth, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports were received:

From Chas M Fisher physician and surgeon County Jail, showing services to prisoners, 281; services to indigents, 156, in month of February, 1897.

From Chas. M. Fisher, physician and surgeon of County Jail, showing number of services to prisoners, 141, number of services to indigents 100.

From Dr J P Young, Health Officer, Washington Township.

Reports ordered received and placed on file.

ALLOWANCE OF CREDITS.

James Hayes made application for certain credits so that his term of imprisonment would expire March 13th instead of March 25th, and

Wm McMaster also applied for credits so that his term would expire March 21st instead of March 28th.

The recommendation of Jailer being favorable, the petitions were granted.

REQUISITIONS

Were received from S. B. Adrance, for garden plants, tools, etc. Referred to Supervisor Talcott with power.

From Sheriff, for certain blanks. Referred to Printing Committee.

From County Recorder, for certain articles of stationery, blank books, etc. Granted

The requisition from Superintendent of County Infirmary for electrical apparatus, etc , was postponed again for one week.

TIDAL CANAL APPROPRIATION.

A petition was received from J. F. Forder, F. W. Van Sicklen and W. R. Poyser, also from Edward F Adams, Jas P Taylor and M J Keller, members of the committee appointed to act jointly on the "tidal canal completion and Oakland harbor improvement matters," requesting the Board of Supervisors to appropriate $200 towards defraying the expenses of Dr. J. T. McLean while engaged at Washington in properly bringing to the attention of Congress the needs of the harbor and canal. Supervisor Church moved that the sum of $200 be appropriated and paid and that the Auditor be directed to draw his warrant in favor of Dr. J. T. McLean for that amount.

The roll was called and the resolution was adopted by the following vote.

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Not voting—Supervisor Roeth—1.

APPROVAL OF BOND OF WM. VONDERHEIDT.

The bond of Wm. Vonderheidt as Poundmaster of Temescal Road District was presented, accepted and ordered approved by the Chairman of the Board.

DEDICATION OF ROAD FROM SAN LEANDRO TO SAN LORENZO.

Judge S. G. Nye appeared before the Board and presented from Mary J. Knox and Elizabeth Smith a deed to right of way for public travel and for the uses of a public road on and over certain real property described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southwestern line of the county road leading from San Lorenzo to San Leandro and known as the Watkins street road, at a point S. 3½ deg. E. 186⅝ feet distant from the intersection of said line of said road with the southwesterly line of the right of way of the C. P. R. R. Co., thence N. 26 deg. W. along said line of said road 74⅝ feet to the most southerly point of a strip of land conveyed to said railroad company by Elizabeth Smith by deed recorded in Recorder's office of said Alameda County March 5, 1897, at 56 min. past 9 o'clock A. M. Thence N. 42 deg. 38 min. W. along said last tract further and parallel to said line of said right of way and 30 feet distant therefrom 709 feet to the most westerly corner of a strip of land conveyed by said Mary J. Knox to said railroad company by deed recorded in said Recorder's office March 5, 1897, at 56 min. past 9 o'clock A. M. Thence at right angles southwesterly 20 feet. Thence S. 42 deg. 33 min. E. parallel to said line of said right of way of said railroad company 780.93 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 319-1000 of an acre.

Supervisor Wells moved that the deed be accepted, seconded by Supervisor Roeth.

The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None

PUBLICATION OF ASSESSOR'S NOTICES IN "TELEGRAM."

The District Attorney reported that there was no legal reason why the "Telegram" could not publish the notices of the Assessor.

A request was then made by Mr. Marshall for permission to publish the Assessor's notices in the "Telegram." The request was referred to the Printing Committee

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COMPLAINT AGAINST POUNDMASTER PERALTA DISTRICT.

Supervisor Roeth stated that residents of Claremont District complained that the Poundmaster of Peralta District claimed that he had a right to impound stock found running at large in Claremont District

After some discussion the matter was referred to Supervisor Roeth to investigate.

DAMAGES TO ROADS IN CASTRO VALLEY ROAD DISTRICT.

Road Overseer Hoare reported that he had been over the roads in Castro Valley Road District and that the storms had done great damage. He would, he said, like to have the Board visit and inspect the roads.

That the Moraga road was impassable.

The Board upon motion duly made and seconded resolved to visit and inspect the roads as a Committee of the Whole.

ROCK CRUSHER CLAREMONT DISTRICT.

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Roeth as follows

"Resolved, That Supervisor Roeth, as Road Commissioner of Piedmont and Claremont Road Districts, be and he is hereby authorized to purchase portable rock crushers with engine and necessary attachments to be placed at the quarry in Piedmont Road District at a cost not to exceed $400, and that the claim of the above when presented be paid out of the General Road Funds"

Supervisor Roeth moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells, who explained that he did so in order that the resolution might be considered.

After some discussion the roll was called and the resolution lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.

Noes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell and Talcott—3.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE IN "ECHOES."

Frank Robinson of the "Echoes" addressed the Board, stating that the rates fixed for the publications of the notices in weekly papers was not sufficient compensation, and asked that a larger allowance be made.

Referred to Printing Committee.

APPLICATION FOR FREE LICENSE.

An application was received from one Josephs asking for free license to peddle. After consideration the request was refused by unanimous vote.

RECESS.

The Board then took a recess until two o'clock P. M

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reassembled at two o'clock. The roll was called and all members found to be present.

The Board, upon motion duly made and seconded and carried, suspended rule 4, and the following bills, having been reported on favorably by a majority of the Auditing and Finance Committee, were unanimously ordered paid to the following named persons for the sums set opposite their respective names and out of the funds hereinafter mentioned:

1561. Lesser & Pugh, remodelling Dept. 3, Feb. 16-2 , $522 45.
1562. Chris. Roeth, mileage, Feb. 1-28, $37.10.
1563. M. Y. Stewart, jury fees, Jan. 1-31, $17 80.
1564. J. R. Talcott, mileage, Feb. 1--Mar. 1, $52 30.
1565. F. P. Thwaites, assignee J. D. McClelland, services Dist. Att'y, Jan. 13-15, $150.
1566. Thos. D. Wells, mileage, Feb. 1-28, $15.50.

ROAD 2897.

The Board then resumed the hearing of the report of viewers in the matter of opening road 2897, continued to 2 o'clock this day.

A. D. Colby and M. M. Dunn were sworn and gave testimony.

The matter was fully considered, and upon motion of Supervisor Roeth, seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, the matter was further continued, hearing being set for Monday, July 12th, at 11 o'clock A. M., by the following vote:

Ayes -- Supervisors Church, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Wells—1.

ROAD 2896.

The hearing of the report of viewers in the matter of the opening of road 2896 was then brought up for consideration pursuant to the understanding at last meeting.

After further consideration the following resolution was introduced:

"Whereas, The report of the viewers in the matter of proposed public road number 2896 was filed therein on the 25th day of January, 1897; and

"Whereas, The hearing of said report was thereupon and by order of this Board duly fixed for the 15th day of February, 1897, and notice thereof was duly given in accordance with law, and

"Whereas, The hearing of said report was, by order of this Board, duly and regularly continued and postponed from time to time to and until the 15th day of March, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M.

"Now on this the 15th day of March, 1897, at two o'clock P. M , the said report of said viewers coming on regularly to be heard by this Board, and it duly appearing to this Board that said proposed public road number 2896 will pass over the lands of Sarah R. Yoakum, and that said Sarah R Yoakum is a non-consenting land owner herein, and objects to the opening of said proposed public road as a public road and highway, and that said report of said viewers herein is fair, just and correct in every particular, that the said Sarah R. Yoakum will be damaged in the sum of $498 by reason of the opening of said proposed public road, and that the said sum of $498 should be awarded to said Sarah R. Yoakum as damage for the opening of said public road over her lands as aforesaid, and this Board having upon said hearing heard and considered the evidence offered by parties interested for and against the proposed public road;

"Now therefore be it Resolved, By this Board, that the report of the viewers herein and hereinbefore referred to be and the same is hereby approved and adopted;

"And be it further Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, that the damage to be awarded to said Sarah R. Yoakum, the aforesaid non-consenting land owner herein, be and they are hereby ascertained and declared by this Board to amount to the sum of $498 for the opening of said proposed public road over the aforesaid lands of Sarah R. Yoakum.

"Be it further Resolved, By this Board, that the sum of $498 be and the same is hereby transferred from the Brooklyn Road Fund of said County of Alameda to the Road Damage Fund of said County of Alameda, and that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to notify the Auditor of said County of Alameda and the Treasurer of said County of Alameda to make such transfer.

"And be it further Resolved That said Clerk be and he is further hereby directed to notify said Auditor to draw his warrant on the Road Damage Fund in favor of said Sarah R Yoakum for the said sum of $498, and that the said Treasurer pay said warrant out of said Road Damage Fund."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None.

ACCEPTANCE OF KLEBER AVENUE.

A petition was received from W W. Whitman and Frederic C Torrey asking the Board to accept Kleber avenue as the said avenue is shown on map of Anderson tract, and that the same be declared to be a county road and public highway.

Referred to County Surveyor for examination.

COUNTY ROAD 2896.

The Board accepted the offer of J. Tyrrell to donate toward the expenses of opening county road No. 2896 the sum of $150 was accepted, and Mr. Tyrrell was requested to deliver the same to the County Treasurer, the same to be credited to the Brooklyn District Road Fund.

OFFICIAL GRADE OF SAN LEANDRO ROAD AT MT. VIEW AVENUE.

A petition was received asking that the official grade of San Leandro road near Mountain View avenue be established.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet March 22, 1897.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL OAKLAND

MONDAY..............MARCH 22, 1897.

The echo of the coyote howl promises to be louder than the original.

Office holders of Oakland are still seeking "indorsements." And this in the face of the recent election.

Had the Carson event been delayed four days the world would never have heard of those fugitive telegrams and the "hungriest mob ever gathered." The Legislature would have been too busy to hunt for them.

News comes today from Corral Hollow that there are twenty million tons of coal in sight. Oaklanders should so work as to get a sight of some of those tons being shipped from her wharves after being brought here by a railroad from the Hollow.

The conference between the Valley Railroad people and the local committee is being eagerly awaited. There can be no doubt that a passage line into this city from Point Richmond is contemplated if a reasonable inducement be offered.

Constable Rose says that a drowned horse was found in the creek at Pleasanton a few days ago, and that the driver got wet. The San Francisco papers continue to report "mysteries" of missing men and women. Where shall the line be drawn?

People on the street are asking how some of the defeated office-holders will live after the first week of next month. The question is best answered by asking some of those who went out of office two years ago how they have fared. The solution of the problem would be a revelation.

Now that Congress is inclined to grant a decent appropriation for Oakland Harbor, citizens of Alameda and Oakland should at once send Dr. McLean a return ticket with a resolution that he use it at once. If a ticket can be telegraphed the appropriation will be so much safer.

No one would imagine that Director J. H. W. Sohst of the Merchants' Exchange is a humorist. His references Saturday to the Street Department spending money making diagrams of chuck-holes on Telegraph avenue instead of filling them was positively funny. He argued that the cost of the pictures could have filled nearly a thousand feet of holes.

An Eastern Exchange notes an entirely new educational enterprise, from which some very important results may be reached: Morris K. Jessup, a New York capitalist, will pay the expenses of expeditions that will occupy six or seven years in studying the races and languages of northeastern Asia and northwestern America. The purpose is to discover the flow of humanity between the two continents, and the ethnic relations of Asia and America. Between the Columbia river and Behring Strait ten languages are found that are fundamentally distinct, and those languages have thirty-seven dialects which are mutually unintelligible. On the Asiatic side there are seven distinct languages spoken in at least ten dialects, which are mutually unintelligible. but there may be more. The expenditure of a large sum in such a research shows that science is still enterprising and that money is not entirely controlled by modern materialism but has also an ambition for antiquarian discoveries.

The Road Issue.

It would be a misfortune, and yet it is a probability, to have Governor Budd veto the bill which provides for the construction of a State system of highways. The agitation for good roads which started so determinedly prior to the last election cystallized itself into the measure now in the Executor's hands and the hopes of the community are centered on its becoming a law.

The danger that confronts it is not of one antagonism to the project by the Governor. There is probably no man in the State more in sympathy with the movement than is he, and it is certain that no one has done more to aid it to accomplish its purpose, for in his hands was placed the appointing power of the Commission and he did not act until he was certain that he had obtained men who would further the enterprise with every available means. The trouble now is simply one of finance. The Governor was elected on a platform that pledged him to a 45 cent tax levy he has determined that nothing shall stop him from running the State on that limit. Now the tax levy as arranged by the Legislature calls for 46¼ cents on the assessment basis of last year, the figures having been swollen by an additional cent for the State University and 2½ cents for the Highway Commission.

The problem therefore arises of where must the cut be made. The Democratic papers are urging the Governor to slash the general appropriation bill until the limit is reached and though it is possible that the end may be accomplished that way it is known that he looks askance at the 2½ cents set apart for the highways

A Hope of Harmony.

In a few days there will be a new order of things at the City Hall. The change is coming none too soon for the benefit of all concerned. The retiring officers, although their administration has been subject to criticism, have no doubt acted conscientiously and should be accorded the thanks of the municipality for having done their best. Unfortunately, the mixture of political creeds prevented a harmonious administration and much that has been done had better have been left undone and a great deal that has been left undone should have been undertaken. But all this is passed and citizens can afford to be very kind to their virtues and totally blind to their faults.

The new officials have none of the old excuses for shortcomings that have been made by individual members of the administration that is fast passing into history. The Board of Works is Republican, the majority of the Council is Republican and the other officials are all Republicans. This happy state of affairs will render impossible the bickerings and personalities that have been star features in the many municipal farces that have filled the boards during the past two years. This political unanimity also adds greatly to the responsibility of those to whom the city's government is entrusted for the next two years. It is expected of them, that they will use their power, not to make personal politics, but to govern.

A great fault in the past has been, that there has existed no bond of sympathy between the various commercial bodies of Oakland and the city government. Projects put forth by one element would be opposed by the other and instead of working hand in hand and getting the benefit of each other's experience, the spectacle has borne a close resemblance to that of two dogs fighting for a bone while it is carried off by a third canine. This simle very fitly represents the present conflict between the merchants and the Council regarding the large volume of Oakland trade that goes to San Francisco. It is not in the power of any one man to remedy this evil but the experience of years which the merchants have gained and the knowledge of the ethics of municipal government which it is presumed the new administration possesses, should together, be able to vastly improve existing conditions. And what is true of trade, is also true of moral questions. Hitherto the City Council has been regarded as a body antagonistic to all reform and has been approached in a belligerent spirit and with the idea that it must be subdued. This is of course wrong and after recent experiences the new officials have an excellent opportunity, from the Mayor down to inaugurate and carry out a broad-minded policy that shall be alike a credit to themselves and will compel for Oakland the respect of every other city.

General Hawley, United States Senator from Connecticut and the reputed owner of the Hartford Courant in a recent speech on the Labor Commission Bill, made this reference to his early days: "My earliest recollections of boyhood are of living in a log house in the pine woods and going to a log schoolhouse. I worked upon a farm, and I worked hard. At thirteen I was the janitor of a church for a time, and when I went to college I taught my landlady's daughters in the afternoons for two hours to pay my board bills, and in another place the good woman allowed me to saw, split and carry wood to pay for my board. And when I came out of college I was in debt, but I paid it all off in four years, I am happy to say. I was clerk in a store for a while. I taught school three winters, I turned my hand to any and everything to earn an honest livelihood, for there was nobody poorer in that neighborhood than we were. I was a barefooted boy, living in the piney woods, and I know the whole gamut of labor. I lived among people who labored. Does any one tell me that I am not "in touch with labor?"

Greece, while nominally ruled by a King, is one of the most Democratic countries in the world. Marquis De Fontenoy says that the sons of King George of Greece share with the members of the reigning house of Spain the distinction of having no legal right to the title of "prince." That is to say, Constantine, George, Nicholas and Christopher have no right to that title as sons of the King of Greece, and if it is accorded to them abroad, at foreign courts, it is partly out of courtesy, and partly, too, as grandsons of the King of Denmark. Neither the Greek constitution nor that of Spain provides for the existence of any "princes," so-called, or recognizes the title, and at Athens no one dreams of according the style of "prince" to any of the King's sons. In fact, they stand, legally speaking, in the peculiar position of having no title whatsoever and no patronymic, and sometimes they jokingly describe themselves as "princes of nothing and counts of nowhere."

The late President Lincoln had a large fund of good stories. When he wanted to illustrate some point he could always draw on this fund. Among others, he told the following good one on President Tyler: "During Mr. Tyler's incumbency of the office he arranged to make an excursion in some direction, and sent his son "Bob" to arrange for a special train. It happened that the railroad superintendent was a strong Whig. As such he had no favors to bestow on the President, and informed "Bob" that his road did not run any special trains for the President. "What," said "Bob", "did you not furnish a special train for the funeral of General Harrison?" "Yes," said the superintendent, "and if you'll bring your father in that condition you shall have the best train on the road."

Congressman Bland has experienced a great variety of political vicissitudes. Prior to the Chicago nominating convention he confidently expected the Democratic nomination. He would stay at home and make hay while his political friends made hay for him in Chicago. They turned him down without mercy. A Speaker was to be elected the other day in Washington. There was an opportunity for the soft money Democrats to give Bland a complimentary vote for Speaker. But they did no such thing. Out of 108 votes which they could have cast for him, they gave him only twenty-two votes.

RHYMES OF THE DAY.

Elect McKinley, Hanna said,
And start the idle mills.
The mills will soon be going now
In for Nevada's hills.
—New Haven Register.

"Aren't you weary, comrade, weary,
Of this mania for counts,
And this gushing over titles
That are sold for large amounts?
Aren't you tired, sorely tired,
Of this question, Who shall lead
In the ranks of the four hundred—
Who shall follow, who precede?—
I should smile!

"Aren't you weary, friend, most weary,
Of the Beardsley craze in art?
Of the knickerbocker bloomers
That are thought to be so 'smart'?
Aren't you tired, tired, tired
Of ten thousand other crazes
That the faddist hounds us till we
Feel like yelling, 'Go to blazes?'
Well, I guess!"
—Griffin, Ga., News.

Fitz or Corbett?—
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
Is the question that puzzles us out of our wits,
When we read of the bags that they break with a punch,
And the things they absorb for their dinner and lunch.

Each we know is as swift as the loon when he flits—
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
Who will land the knock-out on the point of the jaw
For the coveted crown in the play-house to draw?

While they run and they swim and they caper and jump,
And the mugs of their trainers most wantonly thump,
"Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?"
All the trainers inquire while they're facing their mitts.

And we ask while we dream of the swift upper cut,
And the bang that the optic bangs suddenly shut,
And the merry cross counter that bruises or splits,
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
—San Francisco Examiner.

Little Love Lou.—
Little love Lou, how your lashes glisten,
Your soft cheek flushes, your soft eyes fill
With dancing drops while the people listen
To hear your tenderly voiced "I will."
And how you glow when the golden fetter
Encircles your finger and makes us two
One for the worse and one for the better,
And one till death part us, my little love Lou!

Little love Lou, the great organ closes
The rite with a jubilant thunder song,
And down from the chancel and over the roses
They scatter before you we pass along.
A conquering prince with my laurels on me,
I feel as I traverse the aisle with you;
Oh, prouder than king of, the queen I've won me,
I lead out my little wife, little love Lou!
—London Daily Mail.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The long agitation in England against the cruelties of the royal hunt has resulted in the Queen commanding that a report on the subject be submitted to her. Her Majesty is disposed to abandon the buck-hounds altogether. In any case, it seems certain that the hunting of tame stags will be discontinued.

Photography is the fad of the Baroness Rothchild, in Paris, and an ideal studio and laboratory has been erected in the garden adjoining her palace in the Rue de Monceau. The two-story building occupies a large lot and has numerous rooms for photographic work in all its branches, a drawing-room, dressing-rooms, and every possible facility for making good pictures.

Miss Kate Greenway, who unpretendingly invented her own branch of art, lives in an old and picturesque house in London, provided with a roomy studio on the top floor. She went through a long course of study in the London art schools, and worked for years before her peculiar merits came out in a group of children, entitled, "Under the window." Her own explation of her succes is that it is due to hard work and love of children.

Ignace Pelotte, who died on Mackinaw Island recently at the age of 93, was the last survivor of the American Fur company. He had an indistinct recollection of John Jacob Astor, the principal owner of the company and a memory of events of interest in the West during the first half of the century.

Prof. Karl Weierstrass, who recently died in Berlin, and was accounted one of the greatest mathematicians of the time, was, notwithstanding his fame, a man of great modesty. Noted mathematicians of other countries not seldom came to Berlin for the express purpose of discussing abstruse questions of science with him, and among his special admirers was the King of Sweden, who is an interested student of mathematics.

In his address on Pasteur before the French Academy, Gaston Paris, the new member, said that the scientist used often to leave the table in the middle of dinner and his bed at night in order to elaborate an idea that had been fermenting in his brain. Referring to Pasteur's rise from an humble place in a village drug store, M. Paris said that his audacity in the choice of subjects for investigation was extraordinary and that even in his youth he astonished his companions by his eagerness to soar beyond the limits of known science and by attacking problems which the greatest savants had not attempted to solve.

"Pastor Tom Spurgeon of the Metropolitan tabernacle," writes a correspondent of the London Daily News, "took his little son to witness the festivities at Spurgeon's orphanage. No doubt Master Spurgeon has a very happy home, but, when he saw the array of toys, Christmas trees and the general jollity in the institution which his grandfather founded, he looked up in his father's face and made the unfilial remark, 'Oh. don't I wish I was an orphan!'"

General Harrison was right; it was a mighty mean trick for a hand-organ man to stop before the house and play "Where Is My Wandering Boy Tonight?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Soon after street cars were put on in Atlanta a certain citizen made it a rule to get on a car with a $10 or $20 bill, and as the conductor in those days seldom had enough money to change such bills the enterprising citizen succeeded in getting a number of free rides. He was cured of this habit, however, by a conductor whom he had worried considerably. One day when he presented a $10 bill this conductor handed his passenger $10 in nickels, less four, which he took out for back debts.

St. Patrick's Church, Galway, Ireland, has been closed for the last thirty-five years. It is a magnificent structure of cut stone, and can seat 1,500 people. The apparent abandonment of it by the Catholics has always published tourists. The fact of it is, however that the faithful could not gain admission to it because the plot of ground in front of it was owned by a bitter Protestant. He built a high wall directly in front of the chapel door and there it has stood till last week, when the persistent obstructor died. Now the bishop has bought the ground, and the flock will soon worship in their temple for the first time since 18[illegible]2.

In a village near Boston reside two young men of a scientific turn of mind. They have been discussing whether a man weighs more after eating than before, and have decided that eating adds nothing to the weight, while drinking makes itself known in avoirdupois. Recently they weighed themselves just before going to dinner. Mr. Porter weighed 191 pounds and Mr. Whelden 165. They also weighed what they ate for dinner, and the experiment showed that the smaller man was the better feeder, for, according to the scales, he got away with three and a half pounds of eatables, while his companion's capacity was only two pounds. The men weighed themselves again directly after dinner, and both declare that their weight was not increased at all.

MONARCHIAL NAMES.

Some Trace of British Rule That May Be Found in Several States.

In one of the paragraphs of the Declaration of Independence the signers declare that "the patient sufferance of the American colonies" at last "constrains them to alter their former systems of government." Along with this alteration there was in many of the States, and more particularly in the New England States, a complete change of geographical designations consonant with the change from monarchical to republican government.

In most of the original States no trace was retained of the titles of royalty or aristocracy such as Congress endeavored to do away with in prohibiting the acceptance of any such title from "any king, prince, or foreign State." But notwithstanding this monarchical titles have survived in some of the original States—New York conspicuously among them. There are in New York, for instance, as everybody knows a Kings County and a Queens County, both on Long Island; and there is, moreover, Dutchess (Duchess) County on the Hudson river line and Richmond County to the south. There is a Dukes County in Massachusetts, and in Virginia, the most populous of the original States at the time of the Declaration of Independence, here are a King George County, a King William County, a King and Queen County, a Prince Edward County, a Princess Anne County, York and Lancaster Counties and an Elizabeth City County. There are a Prince George's County and a Queen Anne's County in Maryland, and Pennsylvania has York and Lancaster Counties, but no nearer approach to monarchical names. In the extreme South and Southwest may be found King Counties (there was a Vice President named King), but no Kings County as in this vicinity. One of the largest of the counties of Washington State, the county which includes the City of Seattle, is King County, and one of the smallest of the counties of Texas, with a population of less than 200 by the last Federal census, is King County, too. But there is no Queen or Queens County in either State, and the same is true of California, which has, however, a Kings County, the other designations of geographical divisions being to a great extent Spanish. There is no King or Queen County in New Jersey, and no monarchical designations of counties in any of the New England States, with the one exception named in Massachusetts. But Dukes County, this exception, does not amount to much, consisting of some islands on the south of Buzzard's Bay and not on the mainland of New England. New York would appear to be the State in which there has been the closest adhesion to the names of royalty, for Kingston (King's town), incorporated in 1871, retained its original name without any change such as some towns make on reaching the dignity of chartered cities, and there is, moreover, a Kingsbury and a Queensbury, both north of Kingston, and a Georgetown, and there was, up to a few years ago, Kingsbridge in what is now the northern district of New York, and there is still Kings highway to the south of Brooklyn and another in Richmond County. In the Western States there are no monarchical designations, and generally speaking the achievements of patriotic Americans are more generally perpetuated than is the case in the original States.—New York Sun.

Professor Willis L. Moore, in a recent lecture, cited statistics to show what a great effect the weather conditions have on crime. There is a larger proportion of crime in the hot months than in the very cold ones, although there is much more inducement for crime in the winter. From the records compiled by a Weather Bureau official a few years ago, it was found that, while there were 1,600 suicides and 2,500 murders during the three warmest months of the year, there were but 1,200 suicides and 1,700 murders during the three coldest months.

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THE PLAYS OF THE WEEK.

"Shore Acres" Will Be Seen at the Macdonough Tomorrow.

"A Nutmeg Match" Will Be the Card at the Oakland Theater.

James A. Herne will appear at the Macdonough Theater tomorrow and Wednesday evening in his successful play, "Shore Acres."

It happens all too rarely that the theater-goer is afforded an opportunity of witnessing so good a play as "Shore Acres." This charming play of New England life is the outcome of years of thought and labor, and not until its author, James A. Herne, had spent nearly a year of his life in daily intercourse with the characters he had drawn, did he think the drama suitable for production. Much that is in the play is founded upon fact and the dramatis personae have their living prototypes. Mr. Herne has devoted over thirty years of his life to the study of character and his sketches always bear the impress of truth. It is an unusual thing for an actor to write so good a play as "Shore Acres," and Mr. Herne cannot be too warmly commended for giving to the English-speaking stage a work of such intrinsic merit. Arrangements have been made for a fine scenic production of this play at the Macdonough.

THE OAKLAND.

The comedy season at the Oakland Theater has proved very successful and Lottie Williams and Ed. J. Heron have established themselves in public favor. They inaugurate their second week tonight in Haworth's "A Nutmeg Match." It is a New England comedy drama with scenes laid in rural Connecticut and consequently deals with home-spun characters such as seen in "Old Homestead. There is a tinge of sensationalism in its action through an attempted murder by means of a ponderous pile driver in full action and the humor which predominates, emanates from characters that are true to life. Lottie Williams will be seen in her favorite role, Cinders, in which Annie Lewis appeared here last. Ed Heron is acknowledged the most artistic and humorous Brick that has ever essayed the role. This is the first time this piece has ever been given at these prices as it was among the high-priced attractions seen here last season. A number of pleasing musical specialties will be introduced during the action and another big weeks' business should result.

THEY CARRIED HOES.

Deaf, Dumb and Blind Pupils Send Kind Words to McKinley.

The following description of a very pretty incident is told in last Saturday's California News, the paper issued by the Berkeley Blind Home:

On March 4th those of the pupils who are admirers of our new President got up an impromptu procession to show their delight over Mr. McKinley's inauguration. Next day one of them prepared the following letter and mailed it to President McKinley:

"Inst. for the Deaf and Blind, Berkeley, Cal., March 5, 1897. President McKinley—Honored Sir: We, the pupils of the California Institution for the Deaf and the Blind, wish to send you our congratulations and tell you how glad we are that you have become President of our country.

"To show our joy, on inauguration day, we had a procession. We did not have many flags, but we were all armed with brooms, hoes and such things as we use in our work, to show that we think this term will be a prosperous one.

"With our most hearty congratulations, we remain. Yours respectfully,

"PUPILS OF THE INSTITUTION."

This week a reply came in the following shape:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, March 11, 1897. The Pupils of the Institution for the Deaf and Blind, Berkeley, California—Gentlemen: The President directs me to convey his grateful appreciation of your recent congratulations. Very truly yours,

"JOHN ADDISON PORTER,
"Secretary to the President."

Y. M. C. A. COMMITTES.

The following committees have been appointed by the Young Men's Christian Association to serve for the ensuing year:

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Works at Corral Hollow Are Completed and Ready for Mining.

An influential party of San Francisco and Oakland capitalists visited the Corral Hollow mines yesterday and inspected the works.

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The feature of the operation which attracted the immediate attention of the mining men was the hoisting cage. It raises three cars at a time and works with almost automatic precision, transferring them from the shaft to the surface track. There they are immediately caught by the tramway cable, which carries them 850 feet below to the bunkers. Here the coal is dumped and screened. Even the dumping is done automatically and the return trip is made in the same regular way. This system and the many devices it represents is the work of John Treadwell, the general manager and part owner of the enterprise. The capacity of each car is one and one-quarter tons.

The coal veins have been prospected for a distance of five miles and to a depth of 500 feet. The visitors all agreed that the half had not been told them and were free in their expressions of surprise at the sights they beheld.

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Now that the examination of Cecil Rhodes has been closed, the Londoners feel at liberty to say that he was the moving spirit in all the machinations against the Boers. It is thought, however, that the matter will not be carried any further by Parliament. In the meantime it is announced that Joseph Chamberlain has notified President Kruger that the alien act, which is in operation in the republic, is in contravention of the London Convention of 1884.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1897.

Rachel and Gustavus Cohn, Bertha and John Simon to J. M. Davis, E Webster st 906 N 14th st N 31 x E 150 subj to two mortgages one for $2,000 and one for $260; $10.

J. A. and Jennie A. Green to Wm. Meins, W 5th st 100 N Allston st N 47 x W 125, being lot 11 blk 107, tract E, Bkly L. and T. I. Assn; $10.

Geo. H. Bartlett and Chas. Laumeister, assignee of George H. Bartlett (insolvent), by comr, to Alice Brown, lots 24 and 26 sub map of lots 1 to 4, Peralta Park, $1,708.

Patrick and Susana Prunty to Thos. Bedard, lots 17 and 18, blk 66 town of Niles; $150.

Jos. and Hannah Palmbaum to Luther M. Williamson, W Union st 132-6 N 26th st N 52 x W 115, being ptn lots 13 and 14 blk S, map of survey of Northern Extn to Okd; $10.

Jas. McCaughey to Edward McCaughey, N 14th st 152-6 W Willow st W 50 x N 100 being lots 8 and 9 blk F, resub of blks C and F. Garden tract Hd; $10.

Marie J. and Lilia Touchard to Mary Davis, NE Railroad av and Chestnut st E 35 x N 100 blk 538; $10.

Jas. G. and Julia T. Durrell to Mary L. Bryan, N B st 108 E Louise st E 50 x N 100 being lots E and F blk 800, map of B st sub Watts tract; $10.

Lena Weinmann to Conrad Weinmann, NE Hawthorne and Telegraph avs N 50 x E 125, being lot 14 Buena Vista Hd; $10.

Clara B. and Jas. M. Taylor to Inter Nos B. & L. Assn., W Spruce st 150 S Prospect av S 50 x W 206, being lot 19 Plot No. 17, amended map Lake View; $3,250.

Inter Nos B. & L. Assn. to Samuel and Isabella Fitzsimmons, same; $10.

Persis G. Taylor to D. C. Taylor, lot 185 in plot 1 Mountain View Cemetery; $60.

Louis T. and Gussie L. Cranz to Felix Marcuse, W St. Charles st 111 N Central av N 37 x W 97-2, QCD; $10.

Henry F. Weston to E. J. Ismert and Geo. W. Mack, .34 of an acre beg at a point in county road Irvington to Centerville on NE line survey No. 15 ex-Mission San Jose lands at a corner common to tract hereby described and lands of Mack, th NE 224 ft NW 76.5 SW 269.6 ft SE 60 ft to beg; $10.

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APPEARANCE OF BOOTH-TUCKER

Dr. Coyle Speaks in the First Presbyterian Church.

DR. SMALL AND DHARMAPALA.

Discourse of Dr. Bushnell at the First Lutheran Church.

The Salvation Army gala day terminated last evening in a monster meeting at the First Presbyterian Church, where Commander Booth-Tucker appeared and spoke for an hour and a half.

By 7 o'clock the church was filled and when the opening hymn was sung at 7:30 there was not a vacant seat in the church.

A large street parade participated in by a couple of hundred Salvationists, under Major McIntyre and Staff Captain Merriweather, was held before the services.

Commander Booth-Tucker did not arrive till 8 o'clock, and during the time they were waiting for his arrival the congregation sang hymns and the Army band played Salvation tunes. Ensign Wise, auxiliary secretary for the coast, also sang a solo.

SOLDIERS SHOUTED.

When the commander entered the church the soldiers shouted amen. The commander first announced the singing of a hymn from the War Cry, and explained that he owed his conversion to that journal. He stated that while others had their various kinds of "ology," the Salvationists had the "ciapology," and he asked those who could not sing with their mouths to sing with their hands. At the conclusion of the first verse he said they were all right, as he had told Dr. Coyle to pull his coat tail if they became too noisy or obstreperous, a thing Dr. Coyle had failed to do. He again asked the members of the congregation to clap if they could not sing. During the first two verses Dr. Coyle merely sang, but in the third verse he joined in the clapping. Dr. Coyle then led in prayer and Captains Ross and Spurgeon sang a duet, after which Dr. Coyle formally introduced the commander.

COMMANDER BOOTH.

Commander Booth-Tucker said he had been introduced "from New York." He asserted that he felt more like being introduced as from Oakland or San Francisco. His address, he said, was on the cars, any place between San Francisco and New York.

"There are 90,000 conversions," said he, "per annum in the Salvation Army—a fact to shout hallelujah over. Some people wish we were back to the day of Pentecost; we are having a perpetual day of Pentecost. If Peter and Paul were here they would shout hallelujah.

"I would like to get a cap that would fit everybody. My little girl wrote me an autograph letter the other day in which she said she would like to be under Papa's cap, wishing to express her desire to be with me. So I wish I had a cap that would fit every one here. Far be it for me to presume or take it for granted that every one here is not enjoying the beautiful and blessed experience of being with Christ, but I wish I could give you each a cup of His love and say 'drink ye all of this in remembrance of Him.' I will read from the 21st chapter of St. John: 'After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples.' Oh, blessed Jesus, show thyself again in this assemblage! His presence is a blessed, glorious fact. If you can see Jesus through the eyes of the Salvation Army, look. If not, look the other way. I have often been asked what the attraction of the Salvation Army was. The only one attraction, the only power, the only secret of the success of the Salvation Army is that we are simply a piece of common wood on which can be seen the Lord Jesus Christ.

AN APPEAL.

"O, brother, O, sister, only be a living monument on which Jesus Christ can be lifted up. If you are not there is something the matter with your religion. The disciples had been told that Christ had risen. They went out to search for him. When they got to Galilee no one had seen him. It was the same in Nazareth. Everybody knew he was dead. The people didn't believe he had risen and they asked the disciples why they did not remain at home and continue their fishing so that they could support their families and relations, and not wander off after the so-called prophet. Simon Peter seems to have given way to their persuasions, and said he would go back to the sea. He was followed by the others. His influence was powerful and so is yours. There are many Peters in this building. If you lead either in the right way or the wrong way there will be many to follow you. Fathers and mothers, if you say to your children that you will go off fishing in the mud puddles of the world, you must not complain if they follow you. Husbands, if you say to your wives that you will go off fishing in the world's mud puddles, it will be your fault if they do the same.

PETER.

"Peter and the others got their heads together and said they would go back to the sea. They thought if they did it on the Q. T. it would be all right. If they left at night, perhaps no one would be the wiser. If Jesus turned up it would be all right, for no one would know about it, and if Jesus didn't turn up they would be that much ahead. So they went and used every means in their power to attract the fish, but all to no avail. They had forgotten that Jesus had said, 'I will make you a fisher of men.' They toiled all night long, but they caught nothing. How many of you have fished in the waters of youth, in the waters of manhood and womanhood, in the waters of middle age, in the waters of old age, and must after all go to your God single handed? What have you caught by all your fishing? Ask yourself. Have you caught the fish of pardon? Many of you will say yes, glory be to God, if I've caught nothing else, I've caught the fish of pardon. But that is not all that is required of you.

"There are two kinds of rich men. One is rich and the other would like to be. It is as bad to covet riches as it is to be rich. There are people with this love of riches, like a canker eating into their souls. There are those who are rich and yet who see the heathen damned and the poor naked and starving without one conscientious scruple, and yet professing to be followers of Christ. The spirit of covetousness is the spirit of this age and the Christians of today are leading the race. Have you caught the fish of pureness of heart? Can you say, 'Hallelujah, I am after the almighty dollar of the skies; I'm after the gold of heaven?'"

The speaker continued to warn the congregation that it was expected to save souls and that it had further duties than paying the pew rent and the minister's salary. He then exhorted his hearers to give their lives to Christ and two answered by kneeling before the pulpit.

GREATER THINGS.

The Subject of Rev. Dr. Coyle at the First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Dr. Coyle, at the First Presbyterian Church spoke yesterday morning on "Greater Things Than These." His text was taken from John 1:50, 51. "Jesus answered and said unto him, 'because I said unto thee, I saw thee under the fig tree, believest thou? thou shalt see greater things than these.'

"And he said unto him, 'Verily, verily, I say unto you, Hereafter ye shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the son of man.'"

"Christianity," he said, "has no final page. No matter, however learned, however masterful in this scholarship, will they ever be able to write 'The End,' after the Christian religion and close the book as one whose task is done. It is a work always 'to be continued in our next,' going on and on from chapter to chapter and from volume to volume. After nineteen centuries of growth and development and conquest, Christianity is still in the grey twilight of its history and more light is yet to break from it and accompany its course down the future than that the most adventurous thinker has ever dared to imagine.

"Herein we see the optimistic nature of Christianity. As its programme unfolds and moves from part to part, there is constant improvement, no drooping down, no dull places, no patches of desert, but always better and better. No matter how much we may be entranced with certain portions of it; no matter how many mounts of transfiguration we may come to; no matter how much we may enjoy them and want to stay there and drink in their glory, the word is, 'Look ahead. This is good; this is splendid, but it is better farther on. Thou shalt see greater things than these.' And so Christianity inspires hope and bids men keep their heads up and their hearts young. Let us take up two or three points for special consideration.

THE BIBLE.

"Begin with the Bible, Christianity's book. In literature it stands alone in its solitary grandeur, unapproached and unapproachable. Whether we consider its authorship, its style, or its subject matter, it must be put in a class by itself. In no other book are these depths so profound or heights so dazzling. If a man likes poetry he can find it here, or philosophy he can find it here, or proverbs he can find them here, or plain precepts for daily life, he can find them here. There is not a note in the gamut of human experience which this book does not strike; there is not a need of civilization which has not anticipated.'

"I do not deny that there are things in it which puzzle and perplex, mysteries which are the despair of scholarship and which refuse to give up their secrets at the bidding of human learning.

"But I am glad of it. No matter how deep a merely human book may be, its bottom is sure to be reached by and by. No uninspired man can push his thoughts so far, but that some other man can follow him. But where is the thinker that has ever got any where near to the bottom of the word of God? Name him. In what university is he a professor? What so called liberal, pulpit does he scintillate in, scattering brilliants for golden truth and leaving the darkness more dense when he gets done? The bottom of this book is never reached. It is forever yielding up new treasures from its inexhaustless mines, because it came, as the book of nature did, from the mind of the unfathomable God. To be sure, there are men like Lyman Abbott, away yonder on the Atlantic coast, and they have some feeble echoes on the Pacific Coast, who amuse themselves and get into print and entertain audiences with itching ears by growing humorous over Jonah and the whale and trying to show that the Bible is no more miraculous than any other book. If they could only do something original there might be some merit in it, but to busy themselves threshing out such old straw as that seems like a very foolish expenditure of energy.

"The supernatural runs through this book from first to last. Its authors wrote as they were moved by the Holy Ghost. What it reveals of God, of man, of sin, of attonement, of immortality, is as far above the possibilities of finite thought as Mt. Shasta is above the pebble at its base. "But thou shalt see greater things than these." From the book we shall pass to the spirit, from inspiration to the inspirer, from the great lessons to the greater teacher, from reading the chart to beholding the face of the Lord Jesus himself in that harbor where storms never break.

"What is true of the Bible is true also of Christian doctrine. Our creeds as they stand today are splendid. They are the crystallized results of ages of intense study and profound thinking. They have come out of the fire of prolonged intellectual conflict with much of the dross of error purged away. They are master pieces of analysis and generalization, and those who laugh at them only show on what very shallow water their little boats sail.

"What then? Are these creeds perfect? Is there nothing to be sifted out of them, nothing to be pruned away, nothing for the critic to work upon? Has the last word of the last page been written? Who believes it? Theology is not a finished science any more than astronomy is.

"We shall have better definitions of God, better explanations of the trinity, better statements of the atonement, better interpretations of the cross, more thorough elucidation of the work of the spirit.

"If Christian doctrine has had a great past it will have a greater future and the teachers who are to come will get much nearer to the heart of things than did the teachers who are gone. Thus Christianity inspires study and encourages the student to look ahead, saying to him with every step of progress 'thou shalt do greater things than these.'

"The thought applies with special force and sweetness to Christian experience. Most of us, as followers of Christ have had some blessed experiences already. We look back upon them as green spots in our history. There have been times of flood tide, when our cup was full, when, like Jacob at Bethel, we saw the heavens open and the angels of God ascending and descending and the very atmosphere around us seemed to throb and vibrate with the spiritual. But 'thou shalt see greater things than these.' Richer experiences, wider horizons, deeper satisfactions, than you have ever dreamed of are yet to be yours. It is good to be a young Christian, but it is a hundred-fold better to be a Christian of many years standing, even as the ripe scholar enjoys vastly more than the raw student who is just beginning."

MOTTO OF FAITH.

The Subject Discussed at the First English Lutheran Church.

Speaking on the text, "He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth," Dr. Bushnell said:

"Every man has some sort of faith, and it must either be false or true. There is no neutral ground. This was the meaning of Christ when he answered those who charged that he was casting out devils by the power of the devils. He reduced the argument of the blasphemous Pharisees to an absurdity, by showing that the devil would be a fool to fight against himself. Every kingdom divided against itself brought to desolation; and a house divided against a house falleth.

Truth and error cannot agree together. Jesus understood and applied the primary laws of thought in this reply. The same laws applies where he reproved his disciples when they forbade a man from casting out devils because he followed not with them. The law of contradition teaches us that nothing can both be and not be. There is no middle ground. Everything must either be for or against the truth in a moral issue.

"We need to observe, however, that truth is just as true when held by a publican as by a Pharisee, by a Buddhist as by a Christian, by a Romanist as by a Protestant. He that is not against the truth is for it regardless of schools and sects.

"The counter statement also holds good. 'He that is not with me is against me.' Judas may be in league with the open enemies of Christ. People in the external profession of the church may be less loyal to Christ than some who are not of His fold. Thus we must distinguish between the true and the false with great prudence, being as wise as a serpent and harmless as a dove.

"Thousands and millions may not know and confess the truth according to our forms and usages and yet they may cherish a sincere and heartfelt respect for the same gospel.

"Since all truth is essentially one, those who love it must have a necessary fellowship and love for each other in the truth. Party lines and personal prejudices must not blind us as we distinguish the true from the false.

"There is an ebb and flow in the great flood-tides of faith. Whoever believes in Christ will be saved through faith without merit or worth, because Christ remains true even while we may be false in our bearings. He is the polar star. Our goodness is a strange mixture of light and darkness. If we examine ourselves in the light of God's truth we find sin and death within us from which we can in no wise set ourselves free. This sense of sinfulness is realized in the fellowship of Christ and not outside of it. One loving look from Jesus restored the spiritual balance for Peter. We all need the same look of love. Men will not believe this until they are brought to a saving knowledge of the truth.

"The question then arises in the mind of a believer, how can I answer those who doubt the truth and power of the gospel. The answer is found in simply living the life of faith. As the heathen poet, Horace says: 'If you wish me to weep, you must first weep yourself. (Si vis me flere dolendum est primum ipsi tibe.) This was the way Diogenes answered the Sophist who argued that there was no such thing as motion. Diogenes simply got up and walked around his tub. The daily walk and conversation of a Christian is a fair test of the differences between Christ and the devil. The life blood of the church is registered in the rythmic beating of its spiritual pulse. Though feeling and force of character are expressed as we stand for or against the truth. Thus the witnessing world notes the pulse of the Christ life, and the unbelievers who want to get at the facts discovers the signs of health and sickness on the tongue of the believers who confess their faith.

"This is not a dogma or a creed to be rejected or accepted according to personal pleasure and prejudice. Truth is revealed in the person of Christ that it may be also incarnated in us. This gospel is something to live in and live by. We must be for or against Christ. He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not scattereth."

UNION SERVICE.

Scandinavian Preachers Talk on Several Religious Subjects.

A union service was held yesterday afternoon by the Scandanavian Methodist Episcopal preachers conference in the Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church on Thirteenth and Market streets. The church was tastefully decorated with smilax and green branches in honor of the visiting ministers. On the platform were seated Revs. Larsen, Brattstorm, Petersen, Wahlberg, Gustafson and Nelson.

Selections were rendered by a male quartette. Rev. Gustafson preached the sermon of the afternoon, choosing for his text, Rom. 14:7, as appropriate to a union service.

"The test of a great nature," he said, "is to offer one's life for another. And yet it is far nobler to live for another than to die for him. Christ both lived and died for us. He lives and prays for us yet.

"There is a two-fold death for man—the sinful man must first die, and then we can live a new life.

"Nothing lives alone. From the atom to the greatest work of creation, nothing in nature exists through itself or for itself. We are mutually dependent. We are not a one, and we cannot live alone.

"Every man is an example for somebody else. We are responsible for the influence we exert over others. We cannot live for ourselves and our influence must go out to others. We owe our fellow men all our service, all our love.

"We live for the coming generation. Let us lay a foundation of rock for them to build upon.

"We live for Christ. 'Christ is my life,' says the apostle."

ATHLETICS.

Subject Discussed by the Rev. Dr. Philip Graif Yesterday.

Last evening at the Twenty-first Street Free Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, preached on "St. Paul and Athletics," and among other terse and pregnant things about sturdy types of Christianity, he said:

"Paul's genius was of the virile kind, not of the limp, elegant, lavender order. In his epistles there are no dainty airs as of a prophet of the kid glove persuasion, or of an apostle of culture holding himself severely aloof from the common herd, but his thoughts and illustrations easily drop into terms of the camp or the arena. Though he knew the exquisite sky and art of Athens and Corinth, neither the Parthenon nor the sculptured Pallas Athene, neither the violet Aegean nor the snow crowned Parnassus gave him thrill enough to give us, in all his writings, the least hint of an esthetic sketch or a piece of scenic word painting. He was in spirit and temperament a born athlete of the highest type. He may have responded to the delicate touch of art forms, but campaign videos, and the shouts and tension of the stadium were more to his liking. Others might play the role of the soft dilettante sampling the beauties of nature or art, but he, the man of iron resolve and invincible purpose, found the atmosphere more congenial where hosts were contending with flash of spear and rattle of armor, or where the ground trembled with the plunge and fury of the chariot race. His crisp sinewy figures of speech, touching foot or chariot race, boxing match or gladiatorial fights, with wild beasts, seem to indicate a first hand knowledge of the rules governing the contest, the severe processes of training required, the brilliant, motley covered spectacle of the Isthmian games and the exciting goal with its prize of a parsley wreath or a garland of green pine leaves.

SPIRIT OF CHRISTIANITY.

"The fact is, the very pith and genius of Christianity is a spirit of grit, aggressiveness and athletic persistency. Whether wrestling with flesh and blood adversaries or waging with pagan or worldly ideals, its nerve has never flinched or its lofty march ceased in its progress and triumphs. What we want nowadays is less folk of flimsy, nebulous fibre, less loose jointed, weak kneed believers, and more out and out champions of a trenchant positiveness of being and doing. Not the boxer with the flabby muscles or the racer with unstrained, fear smitten legs will win a bout or break a record.

RELIGION TIMID.

"In eras of great refinement and culture, religion is apt to become timid, cloistered and apologetic. Pentecosts are but sham fervor unless they lead to fine audacities of faith and gospel conquests in the unlikeliest quarters. We have ideas enough, but too little dynamic, outgoing enterprise. The period of a refined, intellectual age is to philosophize too much, and work too little. Goethe did not shoot wide of the mark when he said that the end of perfection, whether of mind or morals, is not so much thought as action. An intrepid, sanctified will, rather than keen, pure intellect, is the basis of true character, just as excess of physical exercise robs the power to think of its choicest effervescence, so the undue devotement to mental culture tends to undermine or weaken the strength of moral conviction. Plainly and often enough has the muse of history shown that miracles of invention or glory of achievement, illustrious saintlihood or flashes of literary genius belong not so much to subtlety of brain power or superb radiance of imagination as to the dogged persistency and imperial reach of the will.

MATTER OF DISCIPLINE.

"A well disciplined character is better than a shrewd intellect. What we are, not what we say, inspires confidence. Simply to revel in noble thoughts and exquisite sentiments, without turning the fine emotions into conduct, is to cultivate habits and tastes that lead to effeminacy and corruption. Whatever rouses, challenges and trains the will, and bids us to overcome obstacles, try steep, narrow paths and scale heights almost inaccessible, is vastly better than the soft ways of an idle, aimless, easy going Christianity.

DEVOTION.

"Excellence demands nothing less than eager, lifelong devotion and indefatigable painstaking like at the foot of all great ones of whatever kind. Permanence conquers—it is the stout hearted stayer that at last overmatches all comers and wears the crown of victory, for the instruments of conflict brain or brawn, matter or spirit. To breed a race of spiritual athletes is the end for which manifold crises, Christianity, as an universal philosophy, embracing in its scope God, nature and man, and if allowed free educational play grows men and women of an almost ideal loveliness and sanctity. Sparta produced the soldier of perfect mold and Athens the paragon of culture, but Hellenism, touched with no sense of sin, not at all acquainted with the high, austere beauty of holiness, lacked moral heartiness, and with all its art, style, logic, philosophy and eloquence, ignominiously failed to see the supreme importance of conduct and character. But Christianity makes the ethical ideal paramount, and puts its chief emphasis on the achievement of a robust moral beauty known as Christ-likeness. Yes, not higher place or finer house, but worthier self-hood, is the goal of an athletic ambition that is subdued to the spirit of the divine Nazarene.

"In his many athletic allusions, Paul illustrates the sturdy and invincible aspects of Christianity as over against a nice aloofness from practical life or a dreamland of reverie, away from the world's hot fray and strife. Like an alert boxer or lithe, agile racer or vigorous fighter for truth and right, mingle in the rush and heat of the moral contest. If the crowd's applause, with its notorious passion for noise and show, does not ring in your ear, strive you ever so manfully, remember that to win the unfading crown of righteousness is a higher thing than any breath of earthly fame. Shouts and bouquets may hail the victor of the prize ring or the clever winner of the race track, because the vulgar throng appreciates, as a rule, only what lies along the lower levels of thought or work, but God and the nobler ranks of humanity give their garlands, fair and immortal, to the sage in his resolute climb to the heights of truth, or to the saint in his sturdy, lifelong effort to subdue sin and self, and realize as far as possible the ideals of perfection. In short, to incarnate Paul's conception of a true Christian life is to develop and perfect a holiness and beauty of the eager, resolute, wide awake, athletic type."

ANGLICAN AND ROMAN.

The Subject of Rev. Dr. Robert Ritchie at St. Paul's Church.

At St. Paul's Episcopal Church last night Rev. Dr. Ritchie remarked that, having attempted in his two last lectures to show the likeness and then the unlikeness between the Anglican and Roman Churches, a point had been reached where the reasons for both could be discussed. They were principly historical. When that great religious upheaval which men call the Reformation was doing its characteristic work in Europe, a contemporaneous movement was observable in England. There was much in common between these two movements, but history shows that both in the principles followed and in the results produced there were radical differences. The one might be very properly termed a revolution and the other a real reformation. The one was distinctively radical in method, the other as distinctly conservative. The Continental Reformation aimed to do away with the past; the English to keep all that was good in it. As the principles differed, of course the results differed. On the Continent, there was disintegration with a deliberate abandonment of the old order of ministry, the liturgy and ritual. New customs and strange forms ecclesiastical were introduced, and a Babel of voices succeeded the one voice of the old church. The new born Protestant religion started out to make history as a new thing. That was its boast. It broke with the past. It was, moreover, a distinctly popular movement. As history, however, shows, this was not so in England. There the movement did not originate with the people, but with the higher clergy. While on the Continent, none of the higher ecclesiastics took part, in England the Bishops were the prime originators. This fact was bound to influence both the principles and the results, and it did. The principles, therefore, which guided England's reformers were simply these—to get back to the original constitution of the church and to retain whatever was true, good and useful in the old religion and necessary to the existence of the church. The mere fact, for instance, that Roman Catholic precedent could be quoted in support of any doctrine or usage, was not held to be a good reason for abandoning it; provided, that it could be shown that this doctrine or usage had the support of all Christian antiquity.

Hence the English reformers retained the succession of the ancient ministry the backbone of the church for 1,500 years—and they had it today, name and thing. So, they retained the liturgy, not translating it, as many supposed, from the Roman missal and breviary, but taking it from the same ancient sources that the breviary and missal come from. So, with the old creeds, the ritual, the great feasts and fasts of the ecclesiastical year. All that the Church of England did, was to cut away from these things the parasitic growths that encumbered them and let them stand. In brief, the preacher said, to borrow an illustration, the English Reformation was a cleansing of the old family silver, not a melting of it to be cast into other and unfamiliar forms. And on just these same principles the English Church repudiated the Papal supremacy, declaring in both church convocation and secular Parliament, that the Pope of Rome "hath no more authority in this realm than any other foreign potentate." So with the doctrine of transsubstantiation; indulgencies, the mass traffic, the denial of the cup and the tribunal of penance. She repudiated all of these things, not only on the ground of their unscripturalness, but of their novelty. And so, the preacher said, it must be plain that, both in what they retained and in what they rejected, there was a radical difference between the Continental and English Reformations. The effort in England was to restore the church as nearly as might be to what it had been before the days of Papal usurpation and to get back to the original constitution. The effort on the Continent was to start afresh with an entirely new constitution. It was because these plain facts were misapprehended and misconstrued that there was so much confusion in men's minds today. And then, in conclusion, the preacher said he was anxious to call his hearers' attention to a common abuse of a grand old word—the word "Catholic." He wanted them to understand that the attempt made in England was to get back to what was "Catholic" in the past in contradistinction to what was plainly modern and "Roman." He wanted them to appreciate that their communion stood today for what was "Catholic" in Christianity—that is, "universal" and "ancient." That was the reason why, in these lectures, while intending no discourtesy, he could not conscientiously surrender this word to the exclusive use of Romanists. To call, for instance, the modern Roman doctrine of Papal infallibility a "Catholic" doctrine was monstrous, since it was to read all history wrong. This was a modern doctrine, never heard of as a doctrine accepted by the church, prior to the Vatican Council of 1870. Don't say, the preacher added, that you believe in the Holy Catholic Church in your creed and then give the lie to your words by applying that title to the Latin, Papal or Roman Church. The apostles who drew up one of our creeds and the Fathers at Nice and Constantinople who drew up the other knew nothing about any supreme and infallible Pontiff claiming to be the sole Vicar of Christ on earth! A "Roman Catholic" was one kind of a Catholic—but there were other kinds.

DHARMAPALA'S VIEWS.

Strong Reply to the Buddhist by the Rev. Dr. Small.

Rev. James Small, pastor of the First Christian Church of Oakland, took occasion in his sermon yesterday morning to refer to the address of the Buddhist priest Dharmapala before the Philosophical Union at the State University on Friday evening last. He said: "From the address of the priest and the questions of Prof. Howison, one can readily see that Buddhism can never become the universal religion of our race.

"There are five fatal objections to Dharmapala's fragmentary and impotent gospel:

"He denies a living personal God. He believes in 'Lords many and Gods many.' He believes just what the devil preached to our first parents in Eden. 'And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die, for God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.' Dharmapala says we are all gods and all therefore divine. This was Satan's gospel in the beginning and it is Dharmapala's today. If Dharmapala does not believe in a personal God he does not believe in any; for it is unthinkable to believe in mind and thought and plan and intelligence apart from personality.

"Buddha's gospel expounded by Dharmapala leaves man to his own resources. True enough he urges man to overcome and suppress the evil that torments him, but this is an impossible task, as those who have tried to wrestle with sin and weakness know. The utmost achievement of man, without Christ's help, is to cry with Paul, 'O wretched man that I am! Who shall deliver me?'

"The deliverance Buddha offers, even if it were possible, is slow, difficult and distant. Dharmapala said in reply to a question of Prof. Howison: 'The Nirvana condition has never been reached. What the Nirvana condition is, only he who has annihilated passion, who has annihilated lust, who has annihilated ignorance, he can only know what Nirvana is.'

"Buddha makes even that distant deliverance so indefinite that Dharmapala and the learned themselves hold the most contradictory opinions about the final good Nirvana. It is quite uncertain according to the Buddhist priest, whether Nirvana does or does not mean the extinction of separate individuality.

"Buddha taints his gospel with selfishness, although the priest would ask us to believe differently.

"For even the wonderful humanity and brotherliness of Buddhism aims mainly at personal advantage in the extinction of the Frishna.

"Now permit me to place over against these five defects the five great blessings of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

"In the first place Christianity proclaims that a personal Creator is the source and author of all things that are made. And Jesus revealed this being, who can hold the water in the hollow of his hand. Who has meted out heaven with a span, comprehended the dust of the earth in a measure, weighs the mountains in scales and the hills in a balance, as a father whose eyes are over the righteous and whose ears are open unto their cry.

"In the next place, Christianity, through the incarnation, offers us life and strength in Christ. God gave us eternal life and this life is in his son.

"The power we need is a free gift, not the doubtful result of fierce struggling. It represents the new life of a regenerated nature in the springtime. It is the new life that pushes off the dead leaves of the forest trees.

"Abiding in Christ, as the branches abide in the vine, we receive 'of his fullness.' (John 1:16.) Hence we are saved from self assertion not by our own efforts, which are smitten with an incurable spiritual impotence, but by the very life of Christ, so far and so long as we abide in Him.

"Again, Christ died on the cross, 'once for all,' (Rom. 6:10.) We may therefore reckon ourselves even so, once for all dead unto sin—unto, as Dharmapala would say, Trishna. Jesus Christ offers us an instantaneous deliverance from the great curse of self-will. We need not live to the flesh, or be guilty of unbrotherly or unlikely conduct to any one. 'Sin shall not have dominion over us.'

"Our baptism represents this death to sin and resurrection to a new life. Hear Paul: "What shall we say to them? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound?'

"God forbid. How shall we that are dead to sin, live any longer therein? Know ye not, that so many of us that were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into this death?

"Therefore we are buried with Him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. (Rom. vi:1-4.)

"What then is the great difference in the two states? Not perfect holiness in regeneration, nor utter wickedness in man's unregenerate condition. But sin reigned in him, ruled over him, controlled him, disposed of him, in this unregenerate state, so that he was alienated from the life of God. But in the Christian, grace reigns through righteousness in his regenerate state. Hence, says Paul: "Let not sin reign in your mortal body that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof (Rom. vi:12).

"But again, what Christ offers is not a vague and unintelligible Nirvana. The gospel does not propose to annihilate self when it seeks to annihilate self will. What were to get rid of disease by getting rid of life itself. In Christianity the Trishna (sin) goes, but the ego remains. You are never more truly 'yourself' than when 'your life is hid with Christ in God.' (Col. iii:3).

"Lastly, Christianity is contrasted with the fifth defect in this gospel of Buddha by the fact that it is free from the least taint of selfishness. Christianity prompts us to lead a human and benevolent life, not to escape from life, but for its own sake. Because the life of faith and hope and love is the most blessed life. Because a human and benevolent life is in itself blessed forever.

"For these reasons, as well as for others, there is no comparison between Buddhism and Christianity. Buddha pointed out the disease. Let him have credit for that. But he could do no more. He found no remedy.

"Christ and Christ alone
Can minister to a mind diseased;
Pluck from the memory a rooted sorrow;
Raze out the written troubles of the brain;
And, with some sweet oblivious antidote,
Cleanse the stuffed bosom of that perilous stuff
Which weighs upon the heart.'

"I conclude that Christianity must triumph, for the world needs it. The forces working for it insure its success, and the promises of the Christ and our Heavenly Father insures its success. To question its triumph is to question the wisdom of God and the promises of its author."

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MANY PEOPLE COME AND GO.

Indications That the Coming Season Will Be One of Activity.

The principal events in the county during the past week are detailed below.

Haywards

(From the Haywards Review)

At Wednesday's meeting of the Board of Trustees all members were present. Trustee Peters reported from the Street and Pulling Committee that a consultation had been held with Town Engineer Russell concerning the grade of upper B street. After some discussion by the Board it was decided to ask Mr. Russell to be present at the next meeting and to furnish what figures and other data he has concerning the street. Superintendent of Streets Linekin made a verbal report showing what work had been done by him in the way of repairing the streets. Mr. Thurber appeared in behalf of the cemetery and wanted the town to assist in the putting in of a sewer to connect with the cemetery. The matter was referred to the committee of the whole for an estimate as to cost.

On Friday evening, April 2d, some magnificent portfolios of ... in India will be formally presented to the trustees of the High school and placed on exhibition before the friends of the institution. This will be done in connection with the entertainment for the benefit of the scholarship fund for the graduate of last year 1895 who stood highest in his class.

Dr. Dinsmore of San Jose delivered the second of the series of lectures at the Presbyterian Church last Friday evening, taking for his subject the Huguenots, whose sufferings and persecutions have become a matter of history.

Some of the friends of Miss Bessie Hathaway tendered her a surprise party Thursday night.

A meeting of shooting enthusiasts was held in the town hall Saturday evening and the question of organizing a gun club was discussed. The sentiment was all in favor of having such an organization and about twenty agreed to become members.

Mrs. Mary L. Atkinson died Friday night. The day before she had given birth to a daughter and while the little one survived the mother was taken away. The deceased was a native of California and was 27 years of age. A husband and eight small children survive her and to them the deepest sympathy of the community is extended. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon.

An entertainment will be given in Native Sons' Hall Friday evening, April 2d, for the benefit of the High School scholarship fund for the 1896 graduate who stood highest in his class.

A meeting of the stockholders of the creamery was held at the office of the Haywards Lumber Company Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of organizing the company and arrangements were made to go ahead with the creamery.

New members are coming into the Workmen with a rush lately. At the last meeting four candidates were initiated and six more applications were received.

Monday evening the hose boys were out drilling and the water had hardly been turned on before the hose broke near the nozzle. Walter Meyers, who was handling the nozzle, received a thorough drenching.

Druggist McDonnell reports the rainfall up to date for this season to be 24 inches, against 19 up to the same time last year. For the twenty-four hours ending 9 A. M. March 18th .18 of an inch fell and for the same time this morning there was .21.

John Jones, who has been in Los Angeles for two years or so, returned to Haywards this week.

At the session of the Grand Parlor of Native Sons which will be held at Redwood City next month Eden Parlor will have a candidate for grand trustee in the person of N. A. M. Conaghy.

Mrs. H. Meininger and Miss F. Trathen have been elected by Haywards Rebekah lodge No. 26 representatives to the grand lodge which will meet in San Francisco in May.

Last Saturday a large number of friends of Mrs. S. E. Dennis gathered at her home at Mt. Eden and gave her a surprise party.

Dr. John Gamble, principal of the High School, has been spending a few days at Merced this week.

C. O. Johnson, the foreman of Captain Roberts' lumber yard, had a runaway Sunday while he and his family were going to Alameda. The horse he was driving was a spirited animal and near San Lorenzo became frightened at something and started to run. Before he was stopped the occupants of the buggy had been thrown out and one of the children was cut somewhat about the face and head.

Mrs. Sturtevant-Peet of San Jose, who is prominently identified with the W. C. T. U., has been visiting her daughter, Miss Beaumelle Sturtevant, this week.

Irvington

(From the Washington Press)

The fair in aid of St. Joseph's Church, Mission San Jose, will open on the 17th of May and continue for a week. The object in holding the fair is to raise funds with which to repair the church for the coming celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Mission parish, which will take place on Sunday, June 13th of this year.

There is talk of a number of people from this place making a visit to the Yosemite and Big Trees during the coming summer. They will drive and take a cook along to do all the work.

Nelson M. Brown, who two years ago was proprietor of the Irvington Hotel, died of typhoid pneumonia at Fargo, N. D., after a short illness.

Mr. C. J. Bond spent yesterday in Oakland.

Mr. Crowell took a flying trip to San Jose yesterday.

Mrs. C. Schultz is seriously ill and is confined to her bed.

A large force of men and teams are graveling the roads in this district with creek gravel from Niles.

While Joe Maguire was engaged in tearing down the old livery stable yesterday a board containing a rusty nail was struck by a beam and the nail was driven through his arm just above the wrist.

The orange trees in Mr. H. Crowell's garden present a very pretty appearance. They are well filled with luscious fruit and are as fine as any in the county.

The flag on the I. O. O. F. building floated at half-mast Tuesday out of respect to the memory of Mr. Caldera of Centerville, who was a member.

Niles

(From the Washington Press)

The Ladies' Literary Club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Clough on Tuesday April 6th. The same topics which were used for the March meeting will be used at the April meeting and the same subjects which were to be discussed then will occupy the attention of the members at the April meeting.

An entertainment was given Friday evening in Ford's Hall for Home Missions. The committee having the affair in charge arranged an extremely good programme. Rev. Harrison of Oakland gave a lecture well illustrated by stereopticon views upon "Our Golden State."

The younger girls of the C. E. Society are practicing singing each week and are to lead in the singing Sunday evenings at praise service. They sang for the first time last Sunday evening and their singing was quite an addition to the service.

The Lowell High School Cadets are camping in true military style in the canyon at the picnic grounds.

Misses Gussie and Jennie Champion have both received beautiful new wheels during the week.

The public school is closed for the mid-term vacation and the teachers are spending the time in Oakland.

Rev. F. H. Maar paid a flying trip to Niles this week, coming up on the evening train Monday and returning home next morning.

Long tramps and picnics have been quite in vogue the last week.

The several P. O. petitions are growing longer as the time grows shorter.

Miss Hazel Jacobson is visiting relatives in Oakland.

Bartlett Thane of the U. C. was at home last week.

San Lorenzo

(From the San Leandro Reporter)

Mr. E. O. Webb is shipping green peas to San Francisco.

C. L. Gage, soliciting agent of the Burlington route, was in town Monday.

Rhubarb shipments are increasing. An average of fifty boxes leaves here every night.

The clear weather has given farmers a surplus of work. Plowing, brush hauling and garden making are much in vogue.

A committee of the Lithographers' Association of San Francisco was out here Sunday making arrangements for their annual picnic.

A school bond election has been called for April 14th in Russell district, near Mt. Eden, to vote $3000 worth of bonds for a new school house.

On Sunday Ole Johnson had the misfortune to get thrown out of his rig and later to have the rig badly smashed, the result of a shying horse.

The burial of Captain James Cook took place at 1 o'clock Sunday under the auspices of Encinal Lodge I. O. O. F. A full delegation was also present from Joe Hooker Post G. A. R.

Elmhurst.

(From the San Leandro Reporter)

A humorous and instructive lecture by Rev. C. S. Chapman D. D., on "Personal Recollections of Life in Washington" will be given at the Presbyterian Church at Elmhurst on Friday evening March 26 1897. During the years 1864-69 Dr. Chapman was connected with the clerical force of Congress, and thus enjoyed exceptional opportunities for witnessing the thrilling scenes at the National Capital and for learning the personal characteristics of, and becoming intimately acquainted with the mighty men of the nation during those days that tried men's souls.

The annual picnic of the employes of the electric railway promises to be a most enjoyable outing. It will take place on Thursday May 18th at San Lorenzo Grove.

A dead cat was thrown into the hallway of the public school building one evening in the early part of last week. If the perpetrator is caught he will be made to suffer for his offense.

The Episcopal services at the Taylor House on Sunday were very well attended and those interested in the establishment of a mission feel very much pleased over the success of their efforts.

Strict orders have been issued by the Electric Railway Company to conductors to keep the passage ways of the cars clear. This is an excellent rule and will be much appreciated by the patrons of the company.

Mr. C. E. Leonard has accepted a position with the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Road as conductor.

The Electric Railway is increasing its force of conductors and motormen, as the coming summer promises to be a busy one.

Tassajara.

(From the Pleasanton Times.)

Mr. Sanches and daughter met with a painful accident Sunday, by their spirited team running away. Miss Sanches sustained a fractured limb, but her father escaped with a severe shaking up. Dr. Cope was called to attend the case.

Stanley Climer is attending business college at Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williams and son are expected home Friday from their visit at Sonoma.

Miss Fannie Wand of San Francisco is visiting her aunt Mrs. T. C. Johnston.

Miss Nina McPherson departed Sunday for her school in the Summit district.

Ernest McPherson has purchased a new bicycle and is devoting his spare time exhibiting his skill as a rider.

San Leandro.

From the San Leandro Reporter.

The Board of Trustees met Monday evening and the bill of N. L. Hansen for supplies consisting of cement, etc., for the flagstaff amounting to $79.25, was read and approved, after which the Board adjourned.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Florence Palmtag and Vincent J. Strobel, which will take place at Hayward on the evening of March 24th. The prospective bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Palmtag of Hayward.

The stereopticon views of California exhibited at the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening were the finest ever seen in our city. Miss Helen Kelleher, the lecturer, is an elocutionist of ability and from start to finish kept the attention of her audience.

The subject of the missionary meeting in the Presbyterian Church next Tuesday afternoon is "Alaska." Miss Julia Fraser of Oakland, who has traveled in that land, will speak in regard to the natives and their manner of living.

Rev. W. R. Gober, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at this place, is quite low at Hayward.

Maurice Fitzgerald, a former resident of our city, is very low with pneumonia at his Oakland home.

The reception tendered by Cherry Camp to Head Consul Falkenburg was a most enjoyable affair. Consul Falkenburg talked so entertainingly and earnestly on the benefits resulting from membership in the order that eight new members were enrolled at the close of the meeting.

The Sunday school of the Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment on Thursday evening March 25th, for the benefit of the piano fund.

One of the large barns on the Matthews ranch near Elmhurst was burned to the ground on Wednesday evening. There were besides 80 tons of hay, two mowers, one self binder and a number of other farming implements. Tramps were known to have entered the place early in the evening, and it is believed they are responsible for the fire.

A circular calling upon all the citizens to assist in impressing upon visiting Christian Endeavorers the material resources of Alameda County has been issued by the local Endeavorers.

F. D. Morin has been appointed School Census Marshal for Union District.

A grand ball will be given by San Leandro Council No. 1 U. P. E. C. on Saturday evening April 17th, for the benefit of an old member.

Revival services commence on Monday evening under the management of Rev. Thomas Elandy, Evangelist, at the Methodist Church.

McIntyre & Johnson are building a laundry at the Boys and Girls Protectory near the narrow gauge railroad. It is to be 60x30 and will be fitted up with the latest machinery when completed.

Judge Frederick Adams of Oakland was here on Thursday.

Charley Tenney gave the flagstaff another coat of paint on Tuesday.

Shipments of rhubarb to market are increasing.

Asparagus is very slow and as a consequence but a few boxes are sent daily.

A lot of buyers from San Francisco commission houses paying spot cash for early vegetables was witnessed every evening this week.

R. G. Graham, contracting agent of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company, visited this station on Monday on business connected with his company.

H. W. Adams, contracting agent of the Rock Island Railroad, was in town Monday looking for Eastern shipments over his line.

Livermore.

From the Livermore Herald.

Peter Hendrix of Livermore and Miss Nellie Cronin of Boston, Mass., were united in marriage last Tuesday at St. Joseph's parsonage, San Francisco, Rev. Father Scanlan officiating. The wedding was a very quiet one owing to the receipt of a telegram bearing the sad intelligence of the critical illness of the bride's father. After the ceremony Mrs. Hendrix departed for the East and upon her return they will take up their home in Livermore where both are well and favorably known.

On Saturday the 13th inst., death summoned Paola Acosta, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Acosta of Livermore. Deceased was an American of Spanish parentage and had long been a sufferer of the dread disease consumption, which finally caused his death. Paola Acosta was just emerging from boyhood into man's estate when death cut short his career. The funeral services on Tuesday were conducted by the Rev. Father Power. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Some weeks ago John Clark missed several sticks of dynamite from his ranch near Mendenhall springs. Mr. Clark believed that the property had been stolen. It has been since ascertained that a deer hound from the springs wandered near to Mr. Clark's ranch and made a meal from the explosives. Whether the canine ate the stuff to boost him along when on the chase no one seems to know. However that makes but little difference as the poor fellow couldn't digest the fiery substance and died instanter.

Charles Calding of San Francisco, and Charles Jones of Alameda are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wegener of Livermore.

Frank Naylor, assistant cashier of the Bank of Berkeley, returned this week after a visit to his sister Mrs. Thomas Knox.

J. Hearing, District Deputy Grand Chief Ranger of the Forresters of America, paid an official visit to Court Livermore Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alice Kincaid, formerly of Livermore, now of Puyallup, Washington, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wegener the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Joy and Captain Rees of San Francisco spent Saturday and Sunday in Livermore as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McKown.

Mrs. Parrott and her three children and Miss Georgie Cooper of San Francisco are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Buckley at Ravenswood.

Miss Lena Phillips and Miss Annie Jenkins, both students of Curtner Seminary, Irvington, came up Friday evening and spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Miss Phillips' parents of Livermore.

I. Horton, as district deputy of the order of Workmen, assisted last Saturday evening in the institution of a lodge at Sunol. Mr. Horton reports that the new organization was started with a large membership which gives promise of being a good healthy order.

Charley Johns, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Johns, died at the home of his parents on College avenue last Tuesday morning. He had been an invalid nearly all his life and was stricken recently by a severe cold that later developed pneumonia. The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. Reid officiating. The deceased was aged 16 years and 2 months.

A party of Epworth Leaguers gathered at the Methodist Church last Friday evening for the purpose of having a social time. Games and other amusements were enjoyable features of the occasion, and the young people made the time fly merrily until a late hour.

The death of Mrs. Susan M. Morrill, wife of Byron M. Morrill, occurred at the home in Livermore Tuesday, the 16th instant. Pleura-pneumonia was the fatal illness. On Wednesday the 10th, Mrs. Morrill was confined to her bed by a slight cold and fever. At that time her illness was not considered serious and in a few days she was much improved. The Saturday following, she was around as usual but overtaxed her strength, resulting in a relapse which developed the fatal malady.

A large number of tents have been put up at Corral Hollow mines as sleeping apartments for the workmen, doubtless on account of the lack of necessary hotel accommodations. Among them an extra large one is erected, in which entertainments and dances are given, and which accommodates three or four sets of dancers on the floor.

Last Monday morning bright and early there was congregated in front of Ryan Bros.' livery stable a crowd of Livermore boys bound for the Corral Hollow mines.

There is yet a difference of opinion among the lawyers of the District Attorney's office as to whether an election in Livermore can be legally held in May.

Two boys from Alameda left their home last Saturday on a pleasure trip to the Corral Hollow mines, walking the entire distance. They were well equipped for the journey and explained that they were taking advantage of a few days vacation to see the country. They passed through Livermore about noon last Sunday.

Revival services were begun in the Methodist Episcopal Church last Wednesday evening. Rev. G. W. Beatty of Oakland is helping the pastor.

Alvarado.

From the Hayward Review.

Miss Kate Joyce of San Francisco was the guest of her mother, Mrs. P. Joyce last Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nauert has been visiting friends in San Francisco and Oakland the past two weeks.

Miss Elsie Ehram and Miss L. Muller of Mission San Jose visited friends in town last Sunday.

We are glad to see Judge Richmond in his old place, the postoffice, after an illness of three weeks.

Fritz Seeswirg, who has been the guest of the Muller family, returned to San Francisco last Sunday.

D. Jackson and daughter Clara visited friends in Concord, Contra Costa County, Monday and Tuesday of this week.

C. R. Nauret, superintendent of the Alvarado foundry, has employed ten more moulders this week on account of McKinley's election, he says.

A number of the friends of "Grandmother" Ralph went to San Francisco Tuesday to give her a little surprise, it being her seventy-seventh birthday. A very enjoyable day was spent.

Pleasanton

From the Pleasanton Times.

Mrs. Percival Madson, wife of the local contractor, has been quite sick for the past three weeks. She is now convalescing.

Mr. Beckwith of Galt, was in town Thursday visiting his daughter, Miss Lina Beckwith, a teacher in the Pleasanton school.

Mrs. R. H. Magill Jr. visited friends in Alameda last Sunday and Monday. She returned home Monday afternoon and was accompanied by her cousin Mrs. Westley Hickox.

A party of Livermore cyclists consisting of J. Fletcher, Mrs. F. R. Fassett, Miss Kate Rice, Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. Judge Sanderson came to Pleasanton Wednesday on their wheels.

The Chautuqua Society held a very pleasant meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilson. After the business of the meeting had been disposed of refreshments were served.

The Pleasanton Euchre Club held its regular semi-monthly meeting last Saturday evening at the cosy little home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Arendt, who have been traveling in Europe for more than a year, are preparing for their homeward journey. They will leave Liverpool April 7th bound for New York and expect to arrive here by May 1st. It is possible they may reside in San Francisco for a time, although their future plans have not been fully made. From advices received from the travelers it is learned that although they have spent a most enjoyable year, they are glad that the day has been set for their return to California.

The Christian Endeavor Society held its regular monthly meeting and social session last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Gilson.

The ladies of the Mission San Jose Catholic Church are working hard for the success of the fair which is to take place there in May. The object is to raise funds to thoroughly renovate and repair the church for the celebration of the centennial of the founding of the Mission. The ladies have organized in a most thorough and systematic manner and are meeting with great success in their undertaking.

Pleasanton was well represented at the Carson circus. Among the prominent men of town who saw the show were Lou Crellin, Thomas Keating and A. F. Schweer. They departed Tuesday for the scene of the encounter. And there were others.

The Pleasanton plans who like good elocution have a treat in store for them in the near future. Through the good offices of Mr. Bradford Crittenden, a student at the University of the Pacific, Miss Effa Kuns has consented to come to Pleasanton for one evening. Miss Kuns is professor of elocution at the University.

A Chinese vegetable gardener, known as China Billy, was thrown off his wagon Thursday at the railroad crossing near the De Lopez place. His head and left shoulder were badly bruised and his left wrist was severely sprained. Dr. Hershey dressed his wounds.

Joe Enos contemplates making extensive improvements to his dwelling on Rose avenue. It is to be raised and a basement built under it. The roof will also be raised and a second story constructed.

J. J. Murphy is making extensive improvements to his property on Main street adjoining the Nevis building. The old depot building which has been on Mr. Murphy's Rose avenue lot is to be moved on to Main street and raised up to a sufficient height to build a story under it. It will be fitted up for store purposes.

The Pleasanton Mutual Building and Loan Association held its annual meeting and election of officers Wednesday evening in the office of the Bank of Pleasanton.

There is probably no member of the Board of Town Trustees who is more thoroughly in favor of public improvements or a more ardent advocate of municipal ownership than President William Napier. He wants Pleasanton to have a water supply and a light plant and everything else that would tend to put the town a step ahead, but he is most decidedly opposed to having these enterprises undertaken and conducted by private individuals or corporations.

Three carloads of wine casks arrived this week for the Ruby Hill winery. Mr. Crellin expects to break the record this year in his shipments of wine.

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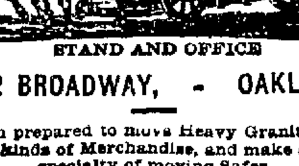

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By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The tariff debate began in the House at 10 o'clock this morning

Despite the early hour of assembling, there was a large attendance on the floor and the galleries showed evidence of the great interest in the proceedings

Dingley and Bailey the opposing leaders were early in their places

By the rule under which the House was to operate the House immediately resolved itself into a committee of the whole and the speaker confered upon Sherman, Republican of New York, the distinguished honor of presiding over the committee

Those who expected the debate to begin immediately were disappointed. The leaders decided to have the bill read in full at the outset in order to disarm the criticism passed on previous bills that they were put through without even having been read in the House.

The spectators in the galleries and the members on the floor waited while the clerk droned through the 163 pages of the bill.

Dingley opened the debate He said that the committee had endeavored to discard mere theories and had addressed themselves to the framing of a practical remedy for the ills of the country.

He said that by placing wool on the free list, the treasury had lost $21,000,000 revenue and farmers $30 000 000 per year The new schedule would increase manufacturies, and the wool grower, and ultimately increase the revenue.

The sugar schedule would increase revenue and encourage the sugar production of this country

Dingley estimated that the second year the bill would yield $100,000 000 increased revenue

In conclusion he urged the need of prompt action

Dingley was followed by General Wheeler of Alabama, who opened for the minority.

FIRE IN DAKOTA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HURON S D March 22—Property worth $70,000 was destroyed by fire this morning including the Alliance Building occupied by the Government Land office, which saved most of its records

The United States Weather Bureau lost all its instruments and most of its records for the past seventeen years.

SAVED SOME PASSENGERS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWPORT, V t, March 22—It is reported that the steamship Yanariva has picked up sixteen of the survivors of the Ville St Nazaire disaster. The Yanariva sailed March 11th for Glasgow. She will make the trip in about fifteen days.

SUICIDED AT A DEPOT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLACERVILLE, March 22.—John E. Wilson, lately of Folsom, committed suicide this morning at the railroad depot in this city by shooting himself through the heart.

Battle Against Beer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22—War against Chicago beer has been declared by the Chicago Federation of Labor at its regular weekly meeting A gigantic boycott, in which all organized labor will be urged to unite, was launched against the product of all breweries that are members of the Chicago Brewers' Association, and will take effect April 1st.

Union men who wish to drink beer, will be asked to buy the product of Milwaukee and St. Louis breweries, and to refuse to patronize any saloon supplied by any of the seventy members of the Brewers' combine

Grievances of Coopers' Union No 11 against the local brewers precipitated the action of the Federation

John McPherson, the delegate from the Coopers' Union who was present at the meeting, explained to the Federation that the Coopers had vainly tried for a year to induce the brewers to use barrels and kegs made by union workmen, and now asked that decisive measures be taken at once to force the manufacturers to comply or to place their product under the ban of united labor.

The sentiment of the labor men was for battle

Chicago Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune

CHICAGO, March 22—Wheat March, 71 7-8; May, 72 7-8; corn, March, 23½, May, 24½; oats, March, 16 5-8, May, 17 1-8; pork, March, $8 62½; May, $8.72½; lard, March, $4 10, May, $4 20, ribs, March and May $4.70, rye 33 1-4; flax seed, 78 1-4; timothy, $2 75

San Francisco Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Wheat quiet, December $1.16 1-8 bid, May, $1 25 bid. Cash $1.32 3-4 to $1.36 1-4. No charters.

FOUND FAULTLESS.

Levin & Co's Condensed Milk Stands a Thorough Test.

Health Officials Searching for Impure Stuff Find None in This Store.

A short time ago the Health Department started on a crusade against bad condensed milk, and in the search the store of Levin & Co. on Tenth and Washington streets was visited. It was expected that some of the stuff named would be found on the shelves, but not one can of bad milk could be discovered anywhere

If any has been in the store it was before Levin & Co took charge Levin Bros recently failed, and the place was purchased by another firm. During the change of ownership it is possible that some milk unfit for use was kept, but it is certain that none was allowed to remain after Levin & Co bought out the new firm.

David Levin, formerly a member of Levin Bros., and now manager of the store, offered the health officials $1 a can for every bit of impure milk found This may have inspired extra diligence, but the manager was not called upon to make good his offer, for the inspection proved conclusively that all the condensed milk was first class in every respect

Levin & Co have completely renovated the store and have put in an entirely new stock not allowing any of the old goods to remain The members of the firm are well known business men and their word is sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the goods offered for sale

FRIENDS IN DEATH.

The funeral of Fred B White who was found dead in his room at 1880 Seventh street last week, was held from Brown's undertaking parlors at 10 o'clock this morning

Notwithstanding the fact that White's brother had ordered the remains to be buried in the Potter's Field, a number of the dead man's large hearted friends, headed by Joseph Cook, raised enough money to buy a plot and headstone for the unfortunate fellow's remains Rev Mr Mynard of St John's Episcopal Church officiated at the funeral services.

Funeral of Mrs. Carpenter

The funeral of Mrs. Carpenter, wife of Dr O. Carpenter, was largely attended this afternoon. Dr. J K McLean conducted the services and the following acted as pall-bearers Geo. T. Hawley, D H Mathers, T. L. Merrill, E B Taylor, Guy C Earl and C. W. Kellogg There were many beautiful floral offerings A quartette consisting of Mrs Schultz, Mrs Nicholson, A M Benham and H K Snow, furnished the music. The interment took place in Mountain View Cemetery.

WEYLER'S MOVE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

HAVANA, March 22—Although he has not yet completely recovered his health, Captain-General Weyler embarked at 12 o'clock last night on the Spanish cruiser Legasie, bound for Cardenas, in the province of Matanzas.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GLASGOW, March 22.—Arrived: Pomoraine, New York.

Moville—Ethiopia, from New York.

Gibraltar—Fulda, from New York for Genoa.

AS TO TERMS OF OFFICE.

Question Raised as to When New Officials Get in Power.

Some Hold That It Will Not Be Before the First of April.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the City Council this evening, which, if the business now on hand can be finished, will be the last meeting of the present Council. The new body will hold its first meeting next Monday.

There is no question about the date for the new Council to assume duty, as the law states it is to assume duties two weeks from the day it is declared elected. But there is a bare possibility that the ambiguity of the law may cause some trouble with the other city officers

The law says they are to hold office two years. Mayor Davie thinks his term expires on the first Monday in April which is the 7th prox. City Attorney Pelrsol is also of this opinion, but it is asserted that some of the officers-elect will demand their offices on the 29th instant, believing that the two years will have then expired.

HE SAW HELL.

George Wyman ex-politician, policeman and sport, breathed his last at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Receiving Hospital. He has been there for the past two weeks, a sufferer from dropsical troubles

Just before the end came he moaned "I see heaven," but later exclaimed. "No, it is hell"

Big Radishes

Mr. Bird of Bird's Point, Alameda, left a large bunch of radishes at the Tribune office this morning The radishes were grown on Mr Bird's place and were from fifteen to eighteen inches in length, by one to two inches in diameter and are excellent in every respect.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22—Hogs, light, $3 95@$4 20; mixed, $4 05@$4 25; heavy, $3 80@$4 25; rough, $3 80@$3 90; cattle, beeves $3 70@$5 35, cows and heifers, $2 00@$4.25, stockers and feeders, $3 35@$4 25.

Inquest at Niles

Coroner Baldwin was called to Niles today to hold an inquest on the remains of Clarence Nautcher, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs J T Nautcher, who fell in Stony Brook and was drowned before his mother's eyes last Saturday.

Cost Nothing.

L M. Harrison and H B. Rand filed their accounts this afternoon. They declare that their fights for School Director and Treasurer respectively cost exactly nothing

Jungk Dead.

Conrad Jungk, a native of Germany, aged 48 years, died at his home, 1479 Twelfth avenue, of consumption this morning Deceased leaves a widow and two children.

SAVED FOR THE ROPE.

Blanther Will Live That He May Die as a Murderer.

The Dose of Poison Not Strong Enough to Kill Mrs. Langfeld's Murderer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Joseph E. Blanther, the murderer of Mrs. Philipina Langfeldt, has been resuscitated from his attempt at suicide on Saturday night in the jail at Meriden, Texas

He will be brought back to California to be tried for his crime.

He had concealed morphine in the waist band of his trousers and had swallowed the fatal dose but, after thirty-six hours of work the physicians announced that he is now out of danger Word to this effect was received today by telegraph from the Sheriff at Meriden by the local police.

The latter are now convinced that the prisoner is Blanther, whose weakness for women led to his capture.

He was traced through a woman to whom he had been married some years ago, and who has been living in Texas.

THE TROPHY CASE.

The Prize Won by Sam and Dick Now in Proper Shape.

Chief of the Fire Department Fair has received the glass case which he was authorized to purchase by the Commissioners to cover the trophy received at the last horse show in San Francisco

The case is an oval affair and is some two and one-half feet high Inside is the gold-lined silver cup. The cup itself is eighteen inches high and is handsome y engraved On one side is engraved an engine and horses running to a fire and above is inscribed "Firemen's Fund Insurance Company Cup." On the other side of the cup is written "For the Best Team of Two Horses Shown to a Regular Fire Engine. Third Annual Horse Show San Francisco, 1896."

Above this prize is the certificate won in 1894 by the same engine and team, Sam and Dick of Engine No. 1.

TREATY TALK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate refused on a yea and nay vote to adopt a motion made by Senator Morgan to amend the amendment of the Foreign Relations Committee to the arbitration treaty.

Morgan's amendment provided for the striking out of the words "jurists of repute" from the amendment, inserted in lieu of the provision constituting the judges of the Supreme Court members of the arbitration tribunal.

POLICE NOTES.

Kate Kennedy, who was found on Telegraph avenue by Officer Green, in a drunken stupor, was found guilty of drunkenness and fined $6

Jacob Weil, who was arrested for selling diseased beef at the free market, was given till tomorrow to plead. He is out on $50 bail

Tommy McHenry, whose mother would not allow him to answer a subpoena to appear in the Police Court as a witness in the case against the Sullivan boys for disturbing the peace, will be tried tomorrow

John Doe Madison, who, with Gordon Davis, was arrested for stoning Chinamen, will be heard Saturday

PAID A FINE OF $40.

Judge Wood was back in his old place at the Police Court for a while this afternoon, to pass sentence on a few of the cases he had tried before vacating the place.

He first ordered Mrs. R. B. Davis, the nemesis of the Oakland detective force, to pay $40 for the privilege of not going to jail. This the woman reluctantly did.

Then the Judge took the cases of battery and disturbing the peace against Tom Gough, preferred by Mrs Edith Keeger, under advisement till next Wednesday.

HE READS "THE TRIBUNE."

Saturday Chief of Police Lloyd received a letter from Mrs Laura King-Shirley asking for information concerning her brother, William Jasper King, who left San Diego three years ago and was supposed to have come to this city. King saw an account of the letter in the Tribune and this morning called upon the Chief of Police and promised to write to his sister.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

C. S Barnard, one of the candidates for Councilman, today filed his statement, showing that he spent $18.50. Rudolph Rost, who sought the same honor, declares that he had no expenditures.

DEATH OF S. C. TUCKER.

The death has been reported of Samuel G. Tucker, aged 67 years, at his home, 1265 Clay street, yesterday. Deceased has lived in Oakland for twenty-two years.

Stock Exchange.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK Mar. 22—Initial dealings on the Stock Exchange were characterized by irregularity, but a firm undertone was apparent, Vanderbilt stocks displaying a decided strength.

A drop of 2⅞ in the Jersey Central impeded the improvement of the general market and fractional losses ensued on profit taking, being most marked in Omaha, New York Central and sugar.

The reactionary movement was checked by liberal purchases of Vanderbilts and Chicago gas.

LICENSED TO MARRY

John B McMahan Davisville	42
Ada E Brackett, Davisville	20
Louis Bertram, San Francisco	29
Josephine Lemp, San Francisco	22
J J. Strobel, Haywards	23
Florence E L. Palmtag, Haywards	20
Albert A. Rol, Oakland	26
Ella R Bay, Oakland	26
Olaf T Johnson, Oakland	41
Emma Peterson, Oakland	36
Frank R Lewis, San Francisco	26
Cora F. Fraser, San Francisco	20
Daniel M Barret, Alameda	24
Helena S. Peterson, Oakland	24
Carl F. Solomonson, Oakland	34
Amalia Getenson, San Francisco	36

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Long at the Lever

Breaks Down the Nervous System of a Well-Known Railroad Engineer. What Built Him up Again.

From the Gazette, Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mr. Elbridge Waterman is a well-known railroad engineer on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway, who has been a great sufferer from nervous debility of an aggravated kind for the past ten years. The strain was telling on his nerves terribly, and steady work was impossible. The following is his story:

"For the past ten years," he said, "I have suffered as few men have, with nervousness, heart trouble and rheumatism. I was forced to quit work, and there seemed to be little prospect of my going back to the throttle again. My heart troubled me very much, and I was totally unable to sleep for days and weeks at a time. When I would drop off into a doze, my heart would beat itself almost out of my bosom, and would wake me up as though I had been struck by a trip hammer. I had twitchings in my arms and legs, and was altogether in such a condition that my wife and friends began to consider me beyond reach of medical assistance.

"I was almost of the same opinion myself when I happened to see in the paper last June, a letter from an old soldier in the west who had been cured of rheumatism by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The testimonial was written in such a way that I knew it was not a faked up one, and I determined to give this medicine a fair trial. I was unable to work at the time, and almost in despair. So I went to the drug store and bought six boxes of them, in order to give them a thorough test, and in a few days I began to feel an improvement they were working in my system. In two weeks I was able to go to work, and I have worked ever since without a lay-off, which is something I have not done for years.

"The first improvement I noticed was in my heart, which grew more and more normal in its action, until at last it did not trouble me at all, and I was able to sleep as I had not been able for ten years. The heart trouble has never returned, and my sleep for the past two months has been healthy and deep. Last night I went to bed early and slept soundly until eight o'clock this morning. And now, when I wake up, I feel invigorated and ready for the day's work, just as I used to feel when I was a boy.

"The nervous twitchings were also cured in a short time, and have never returned or bothered me in the least since. This has also been a great relief to me, as the twitchings were very annoying, as well as an indication to every one of the terrible condition in which my state of health was. And the greatest wonder of all is that the rheumatism seems to be cured also, and does not bother me in the least any more, except when I expose myself unduly, and even then only for a short time. I consider myself a well man now, and hope to continue so. I am still taking Pink Pills, for I want the cure to be a complete and permanent one. I only wish I had known of them years ago, for I would have saved myself large sums of money as well as suffering for which no money could repay."

Dr Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2 50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

WOMEN AS FINANCIERS.

The Peculiarities of the Sex in the Caring for Their Cash.

Large Percentage of Oakland Females Who Deposit in Banks.

Now that women have entered nearly every profession and business, it is interesting to note how a woman has succeeded or failed; in what respect she has equalled her brother wage earner, how her money making schemes differ from his and what she does with her money.

In Oakland there are several hundreds of women who are supporting themselves by their own labor, wresting success where they can and bearing defeat when it comes. This city has the usual quota of women physicians, two or three women lawyers, two women undertakers, several artists and a score of women in schools and offices.

All of these women are earning their living, all of them women are either saving or spending their salaries.

WOMEN WITH BANK ACCOUNTS.

Women are naturally prudent, financially, especially so is a woman who has been taught the value of a penny by having to earn it. While many women are not earning salaries equal to the weekly remuneration of a theatrical star of the first magnitude or of the recompense for services rendered that the president of an insurance company receives, still, it is surprising to note the number of women who have bank accounts.

Several bankers in this city are unanimous in declaring that a large number of their depositors are women. This does not, of course, confine the women depositors to the feminine wage earner It includes women who are enriched by the bequests or gifts of relatives and who manage their fortunes independently.

One banker declared that 53 per cent of the depositors were women; another claimed that 80 per cent of the bank's patrons were women. The predominance of woman's names on the ledger of bank books is due probably not so much to the fact that women as a class are more saving or richer than men, but that the feminine nature is cautious and fearful of investing. It may appear to be a paradox of woman's character that the same woman who will ponder twice over the investment of money in a new business enterprise will rashly squander money on lottery tickets, or anything which promises a large and rapid profit.

Bankers are, as a rule, affable men. They are accustomed to the peculiarities of the mind feminine and are exceedingly tactful in discussing business matters with women.

DEALING WITH WOMEN.

"I would rather deal with twenty men than one woman," declared an Oakland banker today.

"Women," he continued, "seem to be incapable of judging what is advantageous and what is disadvantageous from a business standpoint. They hesitate, they make trivial objections to this and that and they can ask more questions than the most loquacious disputing attorney. It is always a painful subject to me to ask a woman to sign a mortgage merely on account of the uncertainty of the feminine mind. She does not know whether she wants to sign it or not and she takes so long to make up her mind that one almost ceases to care what she does. We have many women among our depositors and we find the wage earner is the more practical and business like."

CUBA LOST TO THE CROWN

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

Only a few of the more excitable Spanish officers refuse to admit that Cuba is lost to the crown. Resident Spaniards confess they can see no other outcome. In fact evidences that Cuba may in the end be freed by Spanish residents themselves are many and strong.

The calmest minds predict the end of Spanish rule within two years. Some say not so soon; others say within one year.

The proposition of Cisneros and Gomez, sent in writing to the New York World, to buy the island is rapidly growing in popularity here. Its warmest advocates are Spanish residents here, loyal to the crown. They are the active financial and business men of the island the owners of eight-tenths of its wealth and its sources of wealth

The Spanish element is condemning with more and more emphasis the fruitless exhausting policy of General Weyler. They see his idea of pacification is depopulation; his plan for peace, devastation. Farmers, laborers and all wealth-producing classes in the country are driven to their graves, or to the rebel ranks, to destroy what remains. Wealth already produced is given to flames.

They see that Captain-General Weyler is making no military progress. The Cubans are being left more and more in possession of the country. They frequently sack small towns close to Havana. They are in force in cities of the fourth and third class once or twice a month. Such raids grow more common.

King Menelek of Abyssinia a few weeks ago was reported to have ordered from a Russian painter a battle picture representing the defeat of the Italians Now he has commissioned the artist Schlesing of Meiningen to paint a great panorama, to be put up in a building to be erected for the purpose.

Queen of Sauces—Yorkshire Relish.

Sheep Market

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Sheep and lamb market, from strong to 10c higher; native sheep, $2 80@$4 50; westerns, $3.60@$4.50; lambs, $4@$5.50.

The genuine Cracker Jack costs no more than the inferior imitations; therefore see that you get the package with the big R's on.

The Prince of Wales possesses the most curious paper weight in the world. It is the hand of an Egyptian mummy.

BADLY CUT.

Leandro Higuere, a laborer, had eleven stitches put in and around his ear by Dr. Stratton at the Receiving Hospital. The patient's many cuts were received by a broken saucer. He was chopping wood at his home, 757 Castro street, and the piece of crockery lay under a stick which he struck. The saucer flew up and struck him what was near a knock-out blow.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Mother's Mush—Made in Oakland.

Palpitation of the heart, nervousness trembling s, nervous headache, cold hands and feet, pain in the back, and other forms of weakness are relieved by Carter's Iron Pills, made specially for the blo od, nerves and complexion

New Carpets, Low prices at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

Mother's Mush—Try it.

The "Pearl"

A Modern Oyster House for Families and Parties.

THEO. LOHMANN, Prop.

903 Broadway.

POSTUM CEREAL

THE GRAIN COFFEE

MAKES RED BLOOD ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE.

Malthine Manufacturing Company. Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of works, Oakland, California.

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No. 2) levied on the 27th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	No. Shares.	Amount. Dls.	Cts.
S. P. Holden	73	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	74	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	75	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	84	500	50	00
S. P. Holden	88	500	50	00
W. B. Ewer	7	5		50
S. P. Holden	8	5		50
G. W. Swan	95	50	5	00
G. W. Swan	49	1000	100	00
G. W. Swan	3	450	45	00

And in accordance with law, and an order from the Board of Directors, made on the 27th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, 209 Sansome street, San Francisco, California, on Saturday, the 20th day of March, 1897, at the hour of twelve o'clock M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. JOHN BRUCKMAN, Secretary.

Office, 209 Sansome St., San Francisco, California.

LEGAL.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Livermore Water and Power Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California. Location of works, Livermore, Alameda County, California.

NOTICE.

There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No 1, levied upon the 13th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	Shares.	Amount.
James Stanley	6	200	$2,000 00
James Stanley	1	666⅔	6,666 66

And in accordance with law and on order of the Board of Directors made on the 13th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No 462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, Alameda County, California, on Monday, the first day of March, 1897, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

Office, 462 Eighth St., Oakland, Cal.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company, at No 462 Eighth street, Oakland, held this 25th day of February, A D 1897, the above sale was postponed until Thursday, March 11th, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company at 462 Eighth st, this 11th day of March, A. D 1897, the above sale was postponed until Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Co., held at the office of the Company at 462 Eighth St, this 22nd day of March, A D 1897 the above sale was postponed until Monday, March 29, 1897, at the same hour and same place

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., March 19, 1897

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1897, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland, said filling to be done under the direction of the City Engineer. The material used must be sand dredged from the shores of San Francisco Bay, and must be free from all foreign material Said filling shall be commenced within ten days and be completed within one hundred and twenty days after entering into contract for said filling The said filling is to be done on that portion of the West Oakland marsh bought from Koenig and Walsh, by the City of Oakland, also a portion of the streets fronting said party Bidders will state in proposals the total amount for which they will complete the above described work

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, not less than ten per cent of the total, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder giving the award fail within 10 days to enter into a contract and furnish good and sufficient bond in the sum of $1 000 00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W SPAULDING JR., Secretary.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California

Notice—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No 6), levied on the 1st day of February, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Name.	No of Certificate.	No of Shares.	Amt
F. C Havens	29	5	40 00
F. C Havens	32	10	80 00
Nat Stein, trustee	31	450	3600 00
W. H Chickering, trustee	29	750	6000 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of February, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Company, No. 1003½ Broadway, room 25 Oakland, California, on Saturday, the 27th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.

Office, 1003½ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon, from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal., March 12th, 1897

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1769 have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 17th day of April, 1897

(Seal) J W. TOMPKINS, Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, March 12th 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of John A. Jones, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the executrix and executors of the last will of John A. Jones, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix and executors, at their office at No 1008 Broadway, in the City of Oakland, State of California, the same being their place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

HANNAH H. JONES, Executrix, and CHARLES H. JONES and LOUIS H JONES, Executors of the last will of John A. Jones, deceased

Dated at Oakland, Cal., February 26th, 1897.

W. F. SAWYER, Attorney for Executrix and Executors, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3748 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3748 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes whether first or second installment before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 10th day of October, 1896

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3841 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased, and for the issuance to Carrie F Oss Snyder of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22nd day of March, A D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 11th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

NYE & KINSELL, Att'ys for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

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The most popular drink of London today physicians recommend it to women

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RELEASE OF AMERICANS.

The Eight Confined in Cuban Jails Will Soon Be Liberated.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

CHICAGO March --—A special to the Times Herald from Washington says

The Madrid Government and Minister De Lome are meeting the State Department half way in the liberation of Americans under arrest in Cuba

General Weyler however is acting the part of obstruction and this may cause his transfer to the Philippine Islands This statement is made by an official who is thoroughly familiar with the negotiations with regard to the Americans in confinement Only eight Americans are now within the walls of Spanish Jails in Cuba

"The eight men" says the official "will be freed within a very short time You will hear of the liberation of two and perhaps three during the present week and within a short time the reference to the trial of the Competitor prisoners

Were it not for General Weyler there would be little doubt that we would secure a much more rapid disposition of the cases There is some friction between the Madrid authorities and General Weyler in regard to the matter, and it would not be surprising to see him transferred to the Philippine Islands

"Reports which have reached the State Department bear out the dispatches of the last few days showing the weakness of the rebel forces in Cuba Instead of having two armies such as Maceo and Gomez commanded a year ago, continued the official the rebels are now to nm about Cuba conducting a guerrilla warfare There is no banded resistance against the army of Spain General Weyler has demonstrated that he can march unmolested through the provinces of Matanzas Havana Pinar del Rio and others.

An Alarm of Fire

An alarm from box 13 corner of Frederick and Telegraph avenue last evening was occasioned by a sooty chimney at the house of I Burnett 277 Telegraph avenue and was turned in by two frightened women who happened to be passing there at the time

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PROTECT THE PACKERS

The Canned Goods Industry Threatened by Removal of the Drawback.

AN ILLOGICAL PROPOSITION.

Meat, Fruit and Fish in Cans Could Not Sell Abroad.

GREAT BLOW TO THE COAST.

Paralyze Energies Which Give Employment to Many Thousands.

There has been a great deal said about reform in the tariff with a view to protecting home industries and there has also been a great deal said with regard to a reform which would be anything but a means of protecting our home interests against those of foreign countries with their lack of duty upon imports and labor which commands only the lowest wages

Of the means employed to afford this protection is a tariff which shall be so high that while placing goods at a reasonable price within the reach of the consumer at the same time renders it impossible for the products of ill paid operative in foreign climes to enter into the competition This is solely with regard to imports

In the matter of exports one of the methods employed by the Government to enable home manufacturers to send their goods into other lands is what is known as the system of drawbacks or the repayment to the exporter of a certain percentage of the export duty which he pays to the Government

Both of these systems it will be noted while operating in a different manner have the same end in view, namely the benefit of the American people through the medium of the law governing the admission to and the sending abroad of the manufactured articles and the products of this country

TALK OF CHANGE

There has been something said concerning the advisability of abolishing the drawback system which now obtains with reference to the exportation of canned goods There is a general and in the main a well harbored opinion, which is founded upon experience, that such a change would be of so radical and injurious a character that it would tend to destroy some of the industries which it is the duty of Americans to foster, all the more so because foreigners would reap the benefit of the change and the American would be compelled to suffer the consequences

EFFECT OF WITHDRAWAL

The question of the abolition of the drawback is one that comes home with especial force to the residents of the Pacific Coast and especially to San Francisco and Oakland both of which are to so great an extent in the enjoyment of some of the returns of this species of trade To abolish the drawback therefore would have a serious effect upon thousands along the coast while the Government would indirectly be placed in the light of a benefactor of foreigners who owe it no allegiance

The abrogation of this drawback would primarily affect meats fruits and fish and other articles which are sent abroad in cans As it now stands the Government allows a drawback of the export duty retaining only one per cent

PRESIDENT FORTMANN

Today a Tribune reporter had this matter brought strongly to his attention in a pleasant chat with Henry F Fortmann president of the Alaska Packers Association

Mr Fortmann is a gentleman whose name seldom appears in the newspapers save as the projector of some enterprise of magnitude and as the manager of such an undertaking as requires not alone experience but a far reaching mental vision to handle in a satisfactory manner

As president of the Alaska Packers Association Mr Fortmann is of course directly interested in the question of the drawback and through him are interested thousands of people in all walks of business who are really dependent upon the industry which the drawback renders possible

The Alaska Packers Association is engaged in the packing of salmon the ... which has extended all over the world There is not consumption for the product of the packers in this country and for that reason a large part of the product finds a market abroad mainly in the British colonies

Mr Fortmann was questioned as to how the packers thrive under the drawback system now in force as well as on a number of other questions touching the subject In reply he said

MR FORTMANN'S VIEWS

"So far under the drawback system, we have been able to hold our own in competition with other countries but the drawback was necessary because in those countries they have to pay us duty on tin The Pacific Salmon Canneries in the United States export 700,000 cases of salmon per year There is a drawback on each case of 12½ cents If the drawback should be wiped out it would interfere with our ability to compete with people in British territory

Armour Cudahy and Fairbanks who put up various articles in cans in Chicago are apt to move to British territory and thus help themselves greatly

KEEN COMPETITION

Competition between home and foreign packers is now so keen that the abolition of the drawback could not be withstood. The drawback is as great a protection to the American laborer as it is to the manufacturer It is absolutely necessary to enable goods to be sold in a foreign market A great deal of expense must be incurred in the industry, because fish when caught must be packed on the scene"

Mr Fortmann then considered for a moment the matter of American tin

"We are glad" he said, "to use American tin plate and are using it on goods used in the United States at the same price as that of the foreign article with the duty added

Tariff reform should be gone into in a very slow manner, and changes all along the line should not be made at once. We should have a commission, and the Government should be in favor of fair dealing The commission should give notice of any proposed change and set a time for and give a notice of a hearing"

On the coal question which enters largely into this business, Mr Fortmann said

"The largest percentage of coal used on this coast is imported There is no coal here to protect The duty on coal is a hardship on the people and on the manufacturer

The consumption of canned goods from America is increasing in England and should not be checked by adverse legislation They are used in all the manufacturing districts and the consumption is extending over the European continent and into China Japan and Australia The Pacific Coast has to compete with England Scotland and Denmark in the fish and herring business American canned fruits and fish owing to the low price at which they are sold have ceased to be a luxury and have become an article of food among all classes The people in Europe in retailing break a meat can and sell the article in slices Any check put on the present system" Mr Fortmann said "would be disastrous"

THOUSANDS EMPLOYED

"There are fully 6,000 people directly interested in this industry They are all Americans They are mostly married people with families It costs a great deal to maintain them The finest kind of machinery must be employed and that costs money The Pacific Coast is the only place in the United States where salmon is canned and in California more fruit is packed than in any other State The fruit industry for this reason needs the same attention to protect it so that there shall be no shrinkage to the farmer or horticulturist

Mr Fortmann then told about the extra agencies employed to facilitate the conduct of the enterprise and thus incidentally showed the great amount of money invested in the undertaking

"There is a large fleet of vessels employed in the Alaska salmon fisheries larger than in any other fishing trade and a larger number of people employed in it The American merchant marine is already going down steadily and in this trade the vessels are increasing in number every year which means the expenditure of a large amount of money which goes into the pockets of the people Besides the vessels of this fleet need overhauling every season and all of this is done either in San Francisco or Oakland and the money is spent in either of those cities The repairs of these vessels is in the main done in Oakland in yards along the creek and by the foundaries and machine shops near the water front Besides Oakland enjoys the benefits of money spent by those employed on the ships during winter months when they are lying up waiting for the opening of the first season of the year The company the past season has had in Oakland harbor nine sailing vessels and ten steamers A great deal of work was done on them materials had to be secured and they were procured in Oakland and San Francisco Besides those vessels had to be stocked with supplies and those were purchased in San Francisco and from Oakland merchants

BETWEEN SEASONS

"Between seasons these vessels sometimes are employed in other runs and last winter two made trips to Australia and other points, taking from here cargoes of wheat and flour thus giving work to men who otherwise would be without employment and using American instead of foreign vessels

"There are other companies engaged in the business among them the Alaska Improvement Company and the Pacific Steam Whaling Company and each of these patronize Oakland merchants and manufacturers in the same manner as I have described

ALL AMERICANS

"There is another feature of this to which I wish to refer and that is the employes of this company The officers and engineers on every vessel have to be American citizens The others who are not Americans see the necessity of becoming such because in the conduct of the business the principle of civil service reform prevails and if they were not Americans when they entered the service they soon discovered the necessity of becoming so in order to render themselves eligible to promotion"

As to the duration of the salmon season Mr Fortmann said the first vessel went out about the first of March and the last returned all the way from September to November

As regards the output of the canneries for foreign consumption Mr Fortmann said that two-thirds of the Alaska product was exported as a consequence that vast feature of the trade which now was compelled to fight against foreign competition was endangered by the proposed abolition of the drawback system In British Columbia he said the hatcheries established there are maintained by the Government The association he further stated intended to establish a hatchery at every place it occupied and it is now established in from thirty to forty places The canneries extended from Dixon's entrance to Behring Strait for a distance of 2,000 miles by coast line measurement

OTHER INDUSTRIES AFFECTED

Mr Fortmann then referred in about the same manner to the large meat packing concerns in the East and the fruit canneries all over California, annually put out thousands and thousands of cans for the foreign trade The abolition of the drawback would cripple them, and everybody knew what it meant to the farmers and horticulturists of California to have the fruit industry of the State in any way impaired

Mr Fortmann concluded by saying that he was satisfied that the good sense intelligence and business acumen of the people would readily perceive the irreparable damage which could be done by an injudicious act touching the present system of drawbacks and as a consequence that nothing would be done to interests which are now so prolific of good and so great a pride to the country and a means of support to so many thousands of her citizens

An Emeryville Fight

Fred Godfrey and Charles Robinson, two race track employes had a fight in Brutus saloon in Emeryville, yesterday in which Robinson used a knife Godfrey's cuts were treated at the Receiving Hospital and the cutter was taken to the County Jail

Cut With a Bottle.

Miss Annie O Leary of 2001 Market street was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday for a cut foot The injury was caused by stepping on a broken bottle in St Mary's Cemetery

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THE SPORTS OF THE FIELD

Successful Athletic Events on the Campus at Berkeley.

Items of Interest in and Around the University of the State.

BERKELEY March 22—The University field day Saturday afternoon was a great success in spite of the cold and disagreeable wind and the absence of Brown, Barnes Humphreys and Dozier Four records were broken during the course of the day The mile walk was lowered by Griffin, 00 from 7 26 2-5 to 7 24 1-5 Edgren raised the shot-put from 40 feet 6 inches to 40 feet 9 inches and Drum, 00 lowered the time for the 220-yard dash from 23 4 5 to 23 2-5 seconds Miller, 97 won the 100-yard low hurdle race in 12 seconds breaking the record by 1 5 of a second

The following is a summary of events

100-yard dash—Drum '00 won, Simonds 00, second, Woolsey of the Berkeley High School, third, time, 0 10 3-5

120-yard hurdle race—Bakewell won, Dawson, second, Cheek, third, time, 0 16 2 5

Mile walk—Griffin won Westerfeld, second Aitken third time 7 24 1 5

880 yard run—Carroll won, Trefethan, second Kidd third time, 2 11

220 yard dash—Drum won Woolsey, second Broughton third time 0 23 2-5

160 yard low hurdle race—Miller won, Dawson second, Warnick B H S, third time 0 1?

Mile run—Jackson won Hazeltine second Haswell third, time 4 54 4-5

Running high jump—Hoffman won, Bakewell second, Miller third height, 5 feet 7¾ inches

Sixteen pound hammer throw—Edgren won Plaw, Oakland High School, second, Carver third, distance 137 feet 10 inches

Running broad jump—Simonds won, Broughton, second, Distance, 20 feet 2 inches

Pole vault—Lloyd won, Hoffman, second height 10 feet 7 inches

220-yard hurdle race—Dawson won, paced by Torry time 0 28

Shot put—Edgren won Cheek second Lloyd, third, distance, 40 feet 9 inches

The timers were Colonel Geo C Edwards, M Dozier and L L Roos starters F J Brown and T L Barnes, announcer, Herbert Blas judges A B Pierce, W W ...ium and Al Lean

The University co-eds defeated the basket ball team from Miss Head's school Saturday morning in Harmon gymnasium, by a score of two goals to one Each side scored one during the first half, and the college girls added another goal to their score in the second half The Berkeley team was composed of Miss Elizabeth Griswold, captain Miss Edith Brownell, Miss Edna Robinson Miss Mary McCleave, Miss Sarah Hanscom Miss Katherine Jones Miss Mary Embury and Miss Bessie French From Miss Head's school were Miss Burke, captain, Miss Stubbs Misses Cooper, Miss Pitcher, Miss Smith, Miss Jones, Miss Morehead and Miss Burnham

The cast of Prof Syle's new play which will be given tomorrow evening in Stiles Hall, has just been announced in full It is as follows The Rev Gregory Shove D D, Cantab, better known as the Chaplain of the Fleet, Frank Dunn, Francis Curzon, Baron Braxtad of Braxtad and Earl of Eversleigh, George D Kierulff, Sir Robert Levett of Faversham Hall, Kent, W W Mein Will Levett, his son, H H Hirst, Harry Temple esq of Wolton Manor, Kent J A Elston, Sir Miles Lackington, Bart, who has drunk up his estate, G L Cross, Solomon Stallebras, who accounts himself a poet J N Force, Richard Savage, who accounts himself a wit F C Marmon, Mr Henry Wharncliffe a man about town Elliott Pierce Roger runner and toter for Dr. Shovel, Silas Geis David same for Dr. Mottram G L Cross, Thomas, an old servant F F. Bioletti, Gethar Pounder M D F R C S, F T Bioletti postboy C W Coleman, Lady Levett Miss L E Möller, Nancy Levett, her daughter, Miss E B Syle, Mistress Esther Pimpernell a poor gentlewoman Miss E Kierulff, Mrs Gambit of Fore street, Cornhill Miss A S Henry Kitty Pleydell, niece to Dr Shovel, Miss A F Brown The University orchestra directed by C C Davis will furnish music

The Chaplain of the Fleet is a story in a prologue and four acts of the Fleet prison, and life in the eighteenth century in England.

The University faculty is thinking of adding to the corps an instructor in colloquial Japanese, as an assistant to Dr Fryer, professor of Oriental Languages and literature Dr Fryer is at present preparing a text-book of Chinese for use in English schools, as there is no such book in existence at present The preparation will involve an immense amount of labor During the summer vacation Dr Fryer will go to China to take charge of affairs left in the hands of his eldest son, who died there recently.

The latest departure of the Agricultural College is a scheme for keeping a poultry yard for experimental purposes Poultry dealers of Petaluma have offered to provide land and buildings for a poultry experiment station, if the University will take charge of the management, pay the running expenses and hire a man to look after the hens The State has appropriated $2,500 per year for this purpose so that the chicken ranch is a sure thing

President Kellogg has announced that the Charter Day exercises in the gymnasium will begin at 10 30 tomorrow No special invitations have been issued, but the public is invited

At the target practice of the University of California rifle team at Shell Mound Park on Saturday, the best scores were made by West, Starr, Hupp Cartwright Mumma and Dozier

Beginning April 2d the Berkeley High School will hold a series of preliminary debates, for choosing its speakers against the Oakland High School The following students will contest G. Bryan Bell Joseph Wilson, Harry Johnson, Fred Barton Al Mathew, Charles Finn, H McDonald, Wm Downer, John Beatty, W Richardson, O Peterson, Wallace Turner, Fred Grubb, C Baxter, R Neally, and Fred Neally.

Prof Bailey delivered the last lecture in his series on "Christian Unity" last night in St Mark's Church His subject was the Historic Episcopate

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment on March 26th in the West Berkeley Presbyterian Church The programme will include music and a farce and the proceeds will be used toward paying off the church debt

A new Shakespeare Dramatic Club has been formed in South Berkeley They will present Above the Clouds soon and the cast will include Miss Hill C E Boyle J W Miller Miss O Neill Miss Wild and William Walter

Belmont school defeated Boone's Academy on the campus Saturday in baseball by the one sided score of 23 to 1 The one run was made by Cunningham in the fourth inning Carson Belmont's pitcher struck out ten men during the course of the game The players from Belmont were Carson Reed Wadsworth Story Seabury, Roberts, Beckley, Moore, Dudley and Yarrington Boone's was represented by Rus Deane, Pringle, McCabe, Cunningham Bloch, Foster Randolph and Cox Boone's play was full of errors

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mrs William E Bond of Anaconda is now in San Francisco, visiting her mother Mrs E Dore 2009 Pacific avenue She will not return to Montana until late in the summer Mr Bond is the successful business manager of the Anaconda Standard

Mr and Mrs F J Fletter of Alameda are now in New York City

Mrs T H Speddy and little daughter will soon leave for Chicago

Mrs Snow and Miss Martha Snow of Alameda will soon leave for New York

Miss Ray Frank lectured before the Jewish congregation at Stockton yesterday

Miss Edith Sprague and Miss M Kastens are spending a week at Santa Cruz

D M Tomblin is at Fresno

Mr and Mrs Philip Harding have returned from Woodland

A Carman has been spending a few days at Woodland

Rev C W Wendte spent a few day last week at Palo Alto

Mrs Frances McCullagh has returned from Stockton where she has been spending a few days

Mrs Caldwell has returned to Stockton after a short visit in this city

Mrs J Dorety and Mrs Roy Watson of Campbell have been spending a few days in this city

D K Darbyshire of Haywards has returned from a three months' sojourn at Los Gatos.

Miss S Hamilton of Alameda is spending a few days in the mountain at Los Gatos

M Allen of this city was in Suisun a week ago Saturday

Mrs W. E Brown has returned from Suisun

Miss Morse of St Helena spent the last week in Berkeley

Mrs W R Senter of Stockton is making a three weeks' visit in Oakland

Mr and Mrs A J Gilbert of this city, accompanied by Miss Kitty Comfort, are in Woodland

Miss Edith Chase is spending a week in Santa Cruz.

Paul Schoen of this city was in Auburn last week

Mrs Carrie Fross Snyder is in Vallejo where she has resumed her classes in elocution

J M Rutherford of Cordelia returned from a visit in Oakland last Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Breck and niece, Ellen Hathaway of this city, visited Suisun the first part of last week, as the guests of Mr and Mrs C P Reeves

Miss Emma Robbins has returned to her home in Suisun after visiting in this city and Stockton

Mrs J Cheney of Colusa has returned from a visit in Oakland

Saturday afternoon Misses M Kate and Bert Benner of 777 Sixteenth street gave a very enjoyable progressive euchre party to a number of their Oakland and San Francisco friends The parlors were beautifully decorated with eschsholtzias Those present were Mrs Ed Sewell Mrs Will Sadtfeld Mrs W Oscar Brown Mrs William Culver Mrs William Fogg, Addie Townsend, Mrs J Mullen Mrs Harry Benner the Misses Beatrice McDonald Cordelia Burnham, Mae E Burnham, Minnie Henneberry, Bertha Young Sadie Henneberry, Annie Armstrong Lydia Armstrong Hattie Martin Maud Buneman, Nettie Stevens Sally Stevens Gussie Hooper Gertrude Carlton Helen Campbell, Ella Kendall, Grace Carroll

Mr and Mrs Lund entertained the 9? Club at their home on Washington street, Saturday Progressive whist was indulged in the greater part of the evening Delightful refreshments were served at a late hour Fortune-telling by one of the guests was greatly enjoyed by all Considerable amusement was created by the fortunes of Mr Tyack and Mr Merrill as the fortunes neared the truth About forty guests were present among whom were Mr and Mrs Howett Mr and Mrs Petersen Mrs Merrill, Mrs Saloack and son Misses Maggie and Etta Lurd Miss Alice Tyack, Miss Hilda Barkquest, Mr Berry Mr King, Mr Tyack and Mr Merrill

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway

AID FOR CUBA.

How It May Be Extended Under the Law of the Nation.

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEW YORK, March 22—General Daniel Sickles, when seen in regard to a report that he was interested in a Cuban expedition to sail some time time next month, said

"I am fitting out no expedition for Cuba. I am not in that business It is true that I have given legal advice to several of the Cuban leaders who have called on me, and, from time to time, I have cautioned them as to the necessity of keeping within the limits of the law in their struggle for independence. My sentiments are well known and have been expressed in public speeches"

General Sickles says if he were in Minister de Lome's place he would labor zealously for his government At the same time, the law was explicit and there was nothing to prevent the daily shipments of arms to Cuba or the sending of unarmed men without restriction to the island He did not approve of the methods that have been followed by some of the Cuban filibusterers

The law makes it illegal to send military expeditions or to fit out expeditions with armed men—men enlisted in this country to fight the Spanish—but it is perfectly lawful to send a cargo of guns and ammunition by any steamer or ship from United States ports All the power of Spain cannot prevent such shipments under the law

It has been claimed by the Cubans that in sending down a vessel loaded with arms it is necessary to have sufficient men on board to land the cargo on the coast The law does not oblige a captain to land his goods in any particular place after a transfer has been made at sea. A ship may clear with her papers regularly made out for Vera Cruz or any South American port, outside of Cuba then the cargo may be sold and transferred outside the three mile limit on the high seas"

"Can a Ward line steamer leave New York with a cargo of arms destined for Vera Cruz and when outside the legal limit transfer those arms to another vessel and break no law?" was asked

"Yes so far as this country is concerned, but she would have to answer to the Spanish government when she reaches a Cuban port

It is a matter between the owner of the steamer and the authorities down there There are legal ways of supplying the Cubans with war material They can be cleared for any port outside of Cuba sold on the high seas and the purchaser stipulate that they be landed at any point on the Cuban coast outside a port of entry The captain of the ship can legally land his arms and guns in any bay or bayou suitable for the purpose and no American law would be broken by such an act

"These questions came up during General Grant's administration and the situation is identically the same now so far as the State Department is concerned

"So you see, in order to aid Cuba the leaders must act within the law. I have told them that nothing can prevent their shipment of arms to any extent These arms can be transferred legally on the high seas and landed on the Cuban coast Any number of men can be engaged as laborers and also transported out of New York openly and without hindrance After the steamer has proceeded outside the three mile limit, and it is desired to change the destination of the laborers, arrangements can be made with the contractors and the laborers landed on the coast of Cuba

Spain denies that war exists in Cuba, consequently we can ship any kind of merchandise, arms, dynamite or anything of that character, without interference of law at this end of the route It is only when a vessel having such a consignment enters the jurisdiction of the Spanish government in Cuba—crosses the three-mile line—that she is wholly within the power of the enemy and she gets into trouble That however, is her lookout. The United States cannot interfere"

Baby buggies for $2 50 at Walter Meese's 1009-1011 Washington street.

Perjury Charged

Attorney Sam Bell McKee has filed an affidavit charging perjury in the case of Thomas O'Donnell against the Haywards Railroad Detective John Ferrin makes the statement in which he asserts that John Duffy a barkeeper swore to being on the car which caused the damage when he was not there

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on FRIDAY MARCH 26TH 1897 pursuant to an order of the Honorable Superior Court Alameda County John Stewart of Stewart's Law and Collection Office No 462 Eighth St Oakland as assignee of Arlett Bros insolvent debtors and at 10 o'clock A M of said day at No 918 Broadway Oakland (Marcuse's Warehouse) I shall sell at public auction in parcels to the highest and best bidders for cash the following goods One cash register, 2 scales, 1 wagon 1 harness 1 hand truck, small lot vinegar and cured goods extract and paper bags and wrapping and holder 1 ... 1 sign marker and 1 sack barley Reference is made to the records of said case No 12,95. Dept 2, said Superior Court

Dated March 20th, 1897

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FREE TEXT BOOKS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO March 22—The bill now in the General Assembly providing for the free text books for the pupils of the public schools, has been indorsed by the Chicago Federation of Labor at its regular weekly meeting The Federation instructed the delegates present to bring the matter before their respective unions for their immediate endorsement Printed copies of the bill were given to each delegate, together with several printed addresses favoring the bill which were delivered before the Illinois Teachers Association at Springfield last December

John T Ray chairman of the committee on labor organizations, of the Teachers Association was at the meeting and discussed the subject as to its effect on the laboring classes

Pupils whose parents are poor it was urged were often unable to get the necessary books until a month or so after the opening of school and were thus put at a disadvantage, while the parents of many are too proud to send their children to school without books and thus the attendance is less than it would be under a free text book system

Massachusetts was cited as an example of this In one year after the enactment of a free text book law, the attendance in the public schools of that State is said to have increased 10 per cent.

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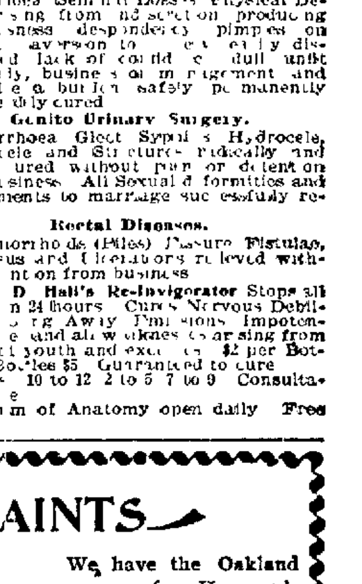

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SUPERVISORS WAR WITH WORDS

Church Gives Roeth the Lie in an Open Meeting and a Decidedly Sensational Scene Is the Result.

A STATEMENT BRANDED FALSE.

Figures Produced to Refute Some of the Charges.

EXPLANATIONS ARE DEMANDED

Expenditures for Indigents Causes All the Trouble.

"I say, sir, that you lied!" heatedly exclaimed Supervisor Church at this morning's meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

The remark was directed at Supervisor Roeth and was accompanied by a vigorous bang on the desk by the irate official who made it.

There could be no misunderstanding as to whom the words were directed, for Church fairly faced his fellow member and spoke to him directly.

Roeth turned red, rose from his seat and talked back, but in the midst of the excitement Chairman Talcott used his gavel vigorously and declared a recess. This checked what might have been more than a war of words.

FEELING NOTICEABLE.

The first appearance of the feeling between the two Supervisors cropped out early in the session, when a requisition was presented from the County Infirmary for seeds and some surgical instruments.

Supervisor Church has the Infirmary under his supervision and he did not like the objection which Roeth made to the granting of the request for the needed articles.

"I would like to have the gentleman from the fifth, or whatever district he represents," ejaculated Church, "explain why he is opposed to allowing Dr. Clark the instruments which are absolutely essential."

ROETH'S ANSWER.

Roeth rose and said:

"I simply want to state that I went out to the hospital and asked to see the ranch which the county is supposed to be supporting."

CHURCH ANGRY.

Here Church jumped to his feet and exclaimed:

"I call the gentleman to order. The subject under discussion is not the ranch."

Roeth continued, however, saying: "I asked Superintendent Clark what work was actually being done by the county."

Chairman Talcott rapped heavily with his gavel at this point and said, heatedly:

"What are items you are objecting to, Mr. Roeth?"

"I am merely stating my reasons for opposing the last and supporting the first of this requisition," replied Roeth and then he went on to say:

"With the exception of a few cabbages and a lot of frozen peas, there was not a vestige of vegetation on the ranch when I visited it last week. I looked around and inquired into the reason.

"I see this morning, on my return, that this requisition for seeds is here. I heartily endorse it, but I can see no need for planting instruments."

"GALLERY PLAY."

Church gained recognition immediately and was somewhat dramatic when he exclaimed:

"Roeth has seen fit to make a gallery play again. Now I want to state what every one knows. The farmer has not been able to get to work on the ground owing to the wet weather. No plowing could be done of late. Now that the land is drier and the weather settled, the farmer will at once go to work. It is not anything Roeth did whatever, for that cuts no figure."

Roeth was about to make a retort when Chairman Talcott loudly rapped for order and declared that if no further objection was made, the requisition would be granted. This was the order adopted.

The difference of opinion on the matter only served as a preliminary to the sensational event of the day. When the routine business had been dispatched, Church took the floor, stating:

CHURCH DEFENDS HIS NAME.

"I wish to rise to a question of personal privilege. There was a communication in the Examiner the other morning to which the man from whom it came did not have the courage to sign his name. It was in the convenient form of an interview, and it was of such a nature that it demands refutation.

"I am plenty able to take care of myself personally, but when I am attacked in my official capacity I will not let the matter pass.

A LIE.

"I brand the statement as a lie! He made a statement which he can't substantiate, when he says that 50 per cent of the goods I have purchased from Herrscher are not on the schedule."

Church was red with rage as he turned to Roeth and pounding on the desk exclaimed vehemently:

"I brand that statement as a lie and the man that made it don't know what he is talking about. I have figures here to prove this and here they are.

He then handed the Clerk the following communication from the County Expert:

EXPERT'S FIGURES.

"In compliance with your request, I herewith hand to you a statement of articles furnished to the County Infirmary, by Joseph Herrsher who has contract No. 5 for supplying the County Infirmary with groceries, etc.

"The period covered by this statement is from January 1, 1896 to March 1, 1897. It shows the total amount furnished, the amount as per schedule, the amount not on the schedule and a segregation by months of the latter

"A recapitulation of the statement is as follows:

"Total amount of claims, $11,036.52.

"Total amount of schedule, $9,515.90.

"Total amount not on schedule, $1,520.62.

Segregated as follows: for feed, $636.31; hardware, paint, glass, crockery, electric batteries etc., $553.34.; groceries, not on schedule, $320.97.

"FRED A. DAVIS,
"County Expert."

Accompanying this, was an itemized account of all expenditures.

Continuing, Church said: "I ask the Clerk to take 50 per cent out of the total for the 14 or 15 months."

County Clerk Jordan announced that it would exceed $5,000 and then the Supervisor went on to say:

"There is considerable difference between $5,000 and $300."

At this point, he pulled a bundle of papers from his pocket and threw them heavily on Roeth's desk at the same time, angrily saying:

CHURCH DEFIANT.

"I have produced my figures and now I defy him to show his."

Both men were excited and little heed was paid to Chairman Talcott's raps for order.

Roeth fairly shouted when he rose to his feet:

"Whom are you talking about! The Examiner or me?"

Church's response was none the less subdued.

THE LIE DIRECT.

"I say this sir! The Examiner was misinformed and you lied!"

Both Supervisors were on their feet facing each other and a suppressed murmur of excitement came from the lobby, when a personal conflict seemed inevitable. However, this did not occur.

Roeth's rejoinder to the direct accusation was emphatically delivered.

ROETH'S SAY.

"I wish to say," he shouted, "that I am not responsible for what appears in the Examiner. I want the minutes of this meeting to say that I, Charles Roeth, have been called a liar in open Board, by Supervisor Church."

HE MEANS IT.

Church broke in with:

"Yes, let the minutes show it. I repeat it and mean what I say."

Turning to Roeth, he directed the question:

"Mr. Roeth, do you deny the interview in the Examiner?"

Roeth was silent for some seconds and then moving in his chair, said:

"I am not here to be examined."

A THIRD TIME.

"Then if you don't deny it, I say again you lie and I mean it!" came from Church.

RECESS.

There was another moment of confusion, during which Chairman Talcott tried to adjourn the Board, but a motion from Wells to the effect that a fifteen minute recess be taken, was immediately declared adopted, without a vote.

Church and Roeth cast meaning glances at each other and walked to different parts of the room, while those present conversed in an undertone over the exciting incidents.

The two Supervisors had another informal mix-up as they passed each other, but it amounted to little.

At the end of recess the Board was called to order, only to be adjourned until next week and so the matter was dropped.

THE ARTICLE.

The article which caused all the trouble is as follows:

"Supervisor Chas Roeth says that his enemies are trying to destroy his influence as a member of the County Board of Supervisors. As a result of the many sensational stories the Grand Jury will investigate. Mr. Roeth makes the following statement:

"My enemies are trying to whisper my honor away and I do not propose to remain silent and see it done. I am of the opinion that Supervisor Church is responsible for certain publications reflecting on my management of the Receiving Hospital. I want to tell him and everybody else that there is not a word of truth in any of the charges made and the Grand Jury has so decided. It is true that I named Edward Ingals as engineer at the Courthouse. I gave him the place because he needed it and not because he roomed in my house. He pays me no part of his salary for giving him the place. I would not for a moment think of appointing any man to office and asking him to divide his salary. There is absolutely no truth in any charge that touches my honor either as a public official or a private citizen. Last Monday I asked the Board for a rock-crusher in my district and it was refused. I had the matter fully ventilated so that it could not be said that I was in a job to get a $400 rock-crusher. Supervisor Mitchell is chairman of the Building Committee. When Judge Ellsworth's courtroom was remodeled he took the matter in his own hands and got a man to do the work for $375. I immediately sent out and got bids from men who would do the same work for $325. Mitchell would have none of them. I noticed, however, that when his man put in his bill for the work it amounted to but $325. Now Mr. Mitchell is having the Hall of Records remodeled in the plumbing line. He told me his plumber was doing the work. Who gave him authority to cause this work to be done or how much it will cost I am unable to say, although I am a member of his committee. Supervisor Church runs the County Infirmary and there is plenty of money in this fund. He had a plan to build a reservoir at the infirmary at a cost of $2,900. There were to be no plans or specifications or open competition for the work. On this I made a fight and am now having plans prepared. This is simply a scheme to spend money, as there is a reservoir and lake already on the grounds. In my opinion it is simply squandering public money. Oh, I am doing some investigation on Mr. Church. I find that at least 50 per cent of the provisions supplied the poor house are not listed—that is, they are not on the regular schedule, so Contractor Herrscher charges his own price for them.

GONE UP IN FLAMES.

A Destructive Fire in the City of Lawrence, Mass.

Eleven Persons Are Badly Burned in the Big Gleason Block.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 22.—The worst fire this city has seen since the burning of the Washington Mills, six years ago, completely dismantled the Gleason Building, one of the best business blocks in Lawrence, early today, resulting in the injury of eight persons and the loss of property valued at $100,000.

The injured are:

John Bowering, left leg injured, several burns.

Mrs. John Bowering, left side injured, ribs broken.

Miss McKenzie, head injured, also serious burns.

William Gallagher, badly burned.

Bernard Gallagher, overcome by smoke, seriously burned.

A. S. Hunter, slight burns.

W. R. Robinson, left wrist fractured, burns.

It is not expected that any deaths will result.

The Gleason Building was of six stories and brick.

The five and ten cent store of Abbott & Co., occupied the basement and the first floor of the Gleason Building. The remainder of the block was taken up with offices, dressmaking and millinery rooms, lodging rooms and a photograph gallery.

The roof of the Central House caught fire and the Pedrick & Closson Blocks were in great danger but were in great danger, but were saved by the efforts of the firemen.

The Gleason Building was owned by the Gleason heirs and was fully insured.

FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY.

How the Unemployed in San Francisco Could Be Aided.

Through the agency of two kind-hearted ladies it is probable that Oakland will, in some measure, aid the poor unemployed of San Francisco.

The two ladies are Mrs. Alexander Campbell and Miss Sophie Newland. The plan advanced at an informal discussion on the subject yesterday morning at the Metropole Hotel was to appeal to the school children of the city for aid.

"The story of 1,800 men without work and without food," said Miss Newland this morning, "seemed to us so dreadful that we thought even Oakland ought to do something for their relief. My sister's plan was to go around to all the schools tomorrow and tell them how these poor fellows suffer, and ask each one to bring some lunch on Wednesday morning, when the contributions of all could be collected and arrangements made to send it to San Francisco.

"It seems so very little to ask—just lunch for the men once. It's true there are eighteen hundred of them, but surely there are more than eighteen hundred children who would be willing to give. You know, the same plan was carried out three winters ago for the poor of Oakland. It's true, there are poor in this city now, but there are not so many of them, nor has their condition been reduced to such extreme distress."

No more definite arrangements have been made by the ladies yet, and it is very much feared that Mrs. Campbell will not be able to carry out the purposed canvass of the schools tomorrow as she was confined to her room this morning with a severe headache.

REPAIRS TO BE MADE.

The work of repairing Telegraph avenue will have been finished by Thursday, it is thought, and, as Superintendent of Streets Miller has had the material analyzed and has found it to be all right, he will give the contractor a certificate and the work will probably be accepted before present Board goes out of office.

Dumping on the Marsh.

Health Officer E. M. Bradley has ordered Sanitary Inspector Ott to enter a complaint against the Crematory for dumping its screening, consisting of ashes and fine garbage on the West Oakland marsh. The screw used to segregate the ashes from the garbage allows much of the latter to fall through and this, the officers claim, has been dumped on the marsh

FIENDS IN THE NIGHT.

The Secret and Malignant Killing of Fowl in East Oakland.

DOVES EYES ARE GOUGED OUT

Ducks Punctured With Pins With Points Tipped With Poison.

THE LOSS OF MRS. DOLMAN.

She Says She Is the Victim of the Malevolence of Some Neighbor.

A case of monstrous cruelty to animals and the ceaseless persecution of a woman is causing comment in East Oakland.

About three months ago, a little French woman, Mrs. Dolman, rented a cottage at 67 East Twelfth street. Misfortune had overtaken the little woman and she had pluckily set out to earn her own living. She began to raise ducks and chickens and soon nearly every game purchaser in town knew her.

MALIGNANT CONDUCT.

Some of the neighbors soon picked a quarrel with Mrs. Dolman and then her troubles. Her birds slowly disappeared. Some were choked to death, others suffered torture before death came to relieve them from their agony.

The favorite mode of torture was to run a sharp darning needle through the eyes of the bird. Some of the ducks had their eyes gouged out. Then the torturers found a new way to kill and began piercing the bodies with a needle tipped with deadly acid. Day by day the list of the slain grew until 200 squabs, several ducks and numerous chickens were dead.

The cat then came in for her turn in suffering agony. The fur and skin on the lower part of her body was taken off with acid and the miserable thing was then left to drag herself away.

The torture her pets were undergoing nearly drove Mrs. Dolman crazy. She saw her means of sustenance being taken from her and she was unable to defend herself nor could she discover her persecutor.

THE FIEND.

"I have my suspicions of the person or persons who are doing these diabolical things," said she, "but I cannot prove my suspicions. I watch every night now and if I see any one moving around the grounds I shall shoot. I am alone in the world and I must protect myself and my property. I have gone to the police and they have done nothing for me.

"I have been living here for three or four months and during the past six weeks this persecution of me has been going. I have my suspicions, as I said, but I do not like to say much about them. I will say that a certain man was insulting to me and said that he would make this place too uncomfortable for me to stay."

Mrs. Dolman showed the reporter a small keg filled with dead squabs, some of them horribly mutilated. This keg the woman said, contained the birds killed during the past three days.

HOW HE WORKS.

It seems that the person comes when Mrs. Dolman is either away from home or in the middle of the night. The locks to the doors of the barn have been broken repeatedly by the fiend.

The Frenchwoman is said to be an industrious person and has given no offense to any one save those she mentions. The theory that she is insane with a penchant for torturing animals is not generally believed in by those who have met her. It looks as though she were the victim of malicious and cruel persecution.

SACHSEL IS MISSING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—President Julius Brieske of the Christopher Columbus Building and Loan Association states that David J. Sachsel, the treasurer, has left Chicago and his accounts are being investigated by a committee of ten stockholders.

President Brieske declared that it was likely that the missing official will be called upon to explain why from $40,000 to $60,000 of the Association's funds are not in sight. Sachsel left on Tuesday last. His wife says he has gone into the country to raise some money. Those interested in the concern are largely laboring people employed in the vicinity of Deering.

LOST HIS HEAD.

The Fate of a Deputy Who Did Not Live Up to His Orders.

County Clerk Jordan this afternoon revoked the appointment of Deputy A. L. Perkins of Alameda who was appointed for registration purposes.

The clerk, always civil and anxious to please, is strict in enforcing courteousness from his deputies toward all who have dealings with the office. This is the first case in which any discourteousness has been displayed.

The evidence is that Perkins wrote an impertinent letter to Clerk Witcher of San Luis Obispo County. Witcher notified Jordan and inside of two minutes Perkins official scalp was in the basket.

SIX MORE DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A boat of the St. Nazaire was picked up by the steamer Creole, which arrived this morning from New Orleans. Six dead bodies were in the boat. No live persons were aboard.

FIGHT IN MINIATURE.

McKinley's Aid Besought to Prohibit Views of the Late Fight.

THE APPEAL OF THE W. C. T. U.

Claim It Would Be Debasing to the Youth of the Country.

STATE LEGISLATION NEEDED.

Three Hundred Thousand Back Up the Prayer of the Union.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—The following appeal was forwarded today:

"To His Excellency, the President of the United States:—Honored Ruler. As the official representatives of 300,000 members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the United States, we earnestly entreat you to call upon Congress to prohibit in the District of Columbia and throughout the various Territories the reproduction by means of the kinetoscope or kindred instruments of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight or any like exhibition at any future time.

"We believe that in making this request we are seeking the best welfare of the citizens, especially the youth of our land, who would be brutalized by such a lifelike representations of those degrading spectacles.

"We learn that preparations upon the largest scale are being made for the invading, not alone of our great cities, but of every village and hamlet with this spectacular performance.

"That bad as was influence of the fight upon the comparative few who witnessed it in person, it would be infinitely worse because so much more far-reaching if thus produced.

"We are making a like request of the chief officials and the Legislatures of the various States and have a strong hope that, in a majority of them the necessary legislation may result.

"We are glad to feel assured at the outset that your personal sympathy must be with us and that your official sanction will be given to this request so clearly in the interests of morality. Sincerely and respectfully yours,

"Frances E. Willard, president.

"Katherine Leente Stevenson, correspondent secretary, W. C. T. U."

IMPENDING DOOM.

Fear That More Levees Have Broken and That Ruin Will Result.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 22.—Today the flood situation may be compared to the "calm before the storm," because the Mississippi registered a fall of 0.1 inch in twenty-four hours, which is taken to mean heavy breaks of the levees above, foretelling awful calamity to the country south of here.

The government gauge at 10 o'clock shows a depth of 37 feet.

Relief boats continue to ply between this point and the immediate overflowed districts, landing each trip several hundred homeless people.

MAHER AND SHARKEY.

They Will Struggle for the Mastery Some Time in May.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch was received in Brooklyn today from Warren Lewis, president of the Greater New York Athletic Club announcing that a match had been arranged between Maher and Sharkey. It will probably be brought off in May in Brooklyn. It is said that a purse of $10,000 will be the stakes.

SPORTS IN A SMASH-UP.

George Siler and Others Badly Shaken in a Railroad Wreck.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GREEN RIVER, Wyo., March 22.—The East-bound Union Pacific passenger train, at 2:35 o'clock this morning, crashed into the rear end of a freight here, injuring three men.

George Siler, Louis Houseman, Jim Wakely and others, returning from the fight at Carson, were on the passenger train. All were shaken up, but none were injured.

Arrived.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Arrived: La Champagne, from Havre.

Not all tea-drinkers like Japan. It is, however, the cheapest tea; and many like it. But most Japan in this country is poor. Try *Schilling's Best.*

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INNOCENTS SACRIFICED.

A Cyclone Singles Out a School in Arlington, Georgia, Razes It to the Ground and Buries Its Inmates in the Ruins.

TWELVE CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Twelve More Are Expected to Sucomb to Their Injuries.

TEACHERS ALSO MANGLED.

Every Other Building Escaped From the Violence of the Storm.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 22.—A cyclone struck the village of Arlington this morning.

The public school building, a frame structure, was blown to pieces.

There were thirty pupils and two teachers in the building.

Twelve children were instantly killed.

The bodies were fearfully mangled.

Twelve children are dying.

Two teachers were hurt badly, and are thought to be dying.

The wind struck no other building with unusual force.

The cyclone struck town about 3:30 A. M., coming from the northwest.

THE DEAD AND INJURED.

The bodies of eight children have been taken from the ruins of Arlington Academy and a dozen others will die.

Thirty-five children and two teachers were buried in the wreck of the building and the work of removing the dead and injured is not yet completed.

Arlington Academy was a fine structure.

It lay directly in the path of the storm.

It was knocked in a great heap even before the danger was realized.

The death list as far as known is:

ALICE PUTNAM,
CLYDE ROBERTS,
OLLIE PARAMORE,
WILLIE McMURRIA,
JENNIE BUTLER,
MAUD JOHNSON,
MARY WELLINGTON,
KENNETH BOYNTON.

Two teachers, Professors Covington and Walker, have been removed from the ruins terribly hurt.

Walker, it is thought, will die.

The list of the injured cannot yet be definitely made up.

Nearly every home in the community has been blighted.

Men and women stand about wringing their hands and weeping.

The storm also wrecked the residences of D. Cowdry and Dr. W. E. Saunders.

No one was hurt in these places.

There is no news from outlying districts of the path of the storm.

The storm missed the business part of town by only about 500 yards.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

The Supreme Court Declares That It Is Applicable to the Traffic Pool.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Supreme Court has decided the case of the United States versus the Trans-Missouri Freight Association against the railroads.

The opinion was rendered by Justice Peckham. It reverses the decision of the court below and holds that the anti-trust law of 1890 can be applicable to railroad transportation and that the traffic agreement pool is illegal.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate: Joseph L. Bristow of Kansas to be Fourth Assistant Postmaster General. Bing of Hermann, Oregon, to be Commissioner General of the Land office. J. D. Elliot, District Attorney, at South Dakota. Ernest G. Timme of Wisconsin, Auditor for the State and other departments. Commodore Joseph N. Miller, to be Rear Admiral.

BORNE TO THE GRAVE.

Impressive Funeral of the Late Mrs. Lucy Rogers.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucy Rogers, who died of old age Saturday, was held in Y. M. C. A. Hall at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. James Small conducted the services.

A large number of sorrowing friends gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of the dead.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. The music was furnished by the choir of the First Christian Church. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Rogers was 83 years old and had been a church member for 71 years. She leaves four children, Mrs. A. Snyder, Mrs. L. M. Levy, Mrs. A. Pearson and Sol D. Rogers, besides a number of grand and great-grand children. Mrs. Rogers was highly esteemed in this community, where she had lived for so many years, and she was loved by all who knew her.

HE PRAYED AT THE TOMB.

How Emperor William Did Honor to His Great Grand Sire.

Centennial of the Birth of the First William of Germany.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, March 22.—The ceremonies attending the celebration of the centenary of the birth of Emperor William I, the grandfather of the present Emperor, which began yesterday, and will end Tuesday, continued today, commencing with the early visit of the Emperor and Empress to the mausoleum of William I.

Their majesties, who received an ovation all along the route, spent a quarter of an hour in silent prayer at the tomb and returned to Berlin soon after 9 o'clock.

At 9 o'clock the troops decorated with the new memorial medals and a detachment of sailors took up the positions assigned them on Unter den Linden.

About 10:30 o'clock the Emperor, in the uniform of the Garde du Corps, arrived and was welcomed with enthusiastic hurrahs: "Hochs" and the waving of handkerchiefs.

His majesty halted before the late grandfather's palace and ordered the flags and standards stored therein, to be brought out.

The Emperor then rode at the head of the colors leading the troops to the festival square.

The monument was unveiled at 11:30 A. M.

The royal personages were beneath the magnificent tent, facing the monument.

They included the Empress and the ex-Empress of Frederick, the Kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg. The privileged spectators numbered about 3,000.

His Majesty occupied a position on horseback in front of the royal tent, facing the monument.

Drums and trumpets called to prayer.

A special trumpet corps sounded the hymn "Loebadenn Herrn."

Rev. Dr. Faber delivered a prayer, trumpets and drums following with a grand burst of music.

The Emperor then ordered the monument unveiled, the troops presented arms and there was a loud cheer.

The massed bands played the Prussian national anthem. A salute of 101 guns was fired from Lustmanten adjoining and all the church bells rang.

The ceremonies ended with a chorale played by a special trumpet corps.

During the ceremony the colors and flags captured from the French during the war of 1870-71 were displayed. Both sides of the monument are surmounted by a circle of cannon ornamented with oak leaves, also captured from the French.

All troops taking part in the ceremony were under the personal command of the Emperor. The Grand Marshal, Count Von Eulenberg, has been decorated by the Emperor with the order of the Black Eagle.

Will Go Abroad.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate in executive session confirmed Powell Clayton to be Minister to Mexico; W. M. Osborne, Consul-General to London; J. K. Gowdy as Consul-General to Paris.

OAKLAND IN 1860.

Oakland in 1860 was a modest hamlet small in population and in all. Oakland in 1896 is a big, prosperous city. The Whitney Transfer Company was small in 1860. Now in 1896 it does the largest express business in Oakland. Good things grow amazingly well. Telephone Main 12 for a move.

THEY DIED AT PRAYER.

Armenians Attacked and Slaughtered by Turks.

THE OUTRAGE IN A CHURCH.

Fear That Massacres May Again Break Out In Turkey.

EFFECT OF THE CRETE BLOCKADE

How the United States Could Be Interested In It.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 22.—The opinion prevails here that the blockade of Crete by the fleets of the foreign Powers which commenced yesterday, will be useless as Colonel Vassos, commander of the Greek army of occupation is well supplied with provisions. It is thought that the best means to accomplish the withdrawal of the Greek troops from Crete would be to withdraw the Turkish troops.

Edhem Pasha, the Turkish commander in Macedonia has telegraphed the Minister of War not to send any further reinforcements on account of the scarcity of provisions. The commander of the Turkish squadron just made ready for sea, has received sealed orders; but it is not believed that the warships will leave Gallipoli.

The Turks at Tokat, yesterday, attacked the Armenians in church.

Fifteen were killed. It is feared that this outbreak marks the renewal of the massacres.

HIGHLANDERS FOR CRETE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

VALLETA, Island of Malta, March 22.—The Seaforth Highlanders have sailed for Canea, Crete, in the transport Clyde. They will arrive Wednesday.

BLOCKADE OF CRETE.

The Powers Take a Hand in the Trouble With the Greeks.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Secretary of State Sherman has been notified that a pacific blockade of Crete was begun at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The notification was made in concert by the representatives of the six signatory Powers to the Berlin treaty, Great Britain, Italy, France, German Austria-Hungary and Russia.

The language of the several notes is identical. They formally announced the commencement of the blockade of Cretan ports against ships flying the Greek flag. It is further declared that merchant vessels of neutral powers, including the United States, will not be disturbed in their usual commercial ventures, providing cargoes contain no merchandise for the use by the Greeks or insurgents of the island. Such vessels, however, will be subject to inspection by the blockading warships of the concerted squadrons.

There is little likelihood that the United States will give its assent to the blockade, or in fact, even notice the communications of the several Powers. Mr. Sherman said the matter, because of its remote interest to this Government, had not been considered in any way.

It is not likely to receive consideration until a merchant vessel of the United States attempting to enter Cretan ports, is prevented by the blockading ships. The master of the American ship would in this case call the matter to the Navy Department and President McKinley would then have to decide upon a policy.

In view of the fact that only three vessels flying the American flag, passed through the Suez canal in the year 1895, two of which were private yachts and the third a warship, and only one, also a warship, in 1896, it is apparent there is little possibility of the United States becoming involved.

While Secretary Sherman declined to discuss the matter in any way, the older officials of the State Department take the ground that should the case arise, the United States would be likely to refuse to recognize the blockade. There are no precedents for refusing to recognize a blockade, but there are many eminent international lawyers, who contend that a "pacific blockade" for the purpose of coercion are in violation of the laws of nations.

RUSSIA'S GUARANTEE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COPENHAGEN, March 22.—The semi-official Hoilingste Tidinge publishes a dispatch from Athens saying that an agreement had been concluded whereby Russia guarantees the integrity of the Turkish Empire in return for an island in the Mediterranean and the peninsula of Mount Athos.

The numberless inferior imitations prove conclusively that "Cracker-Jack" is all right. Insist upon getting the genuine article with the big R's on the package.

Watch this Space for Levin's Announcement

RUDOLPH HEROLD, Jr.

Excellence of His Appointment as Harbor Commissioner.

RUDOLPH HEROLD.

Among the very creditable appointments made by Governor Budd is that of Rudolph Herold, Jr., to be a member of the State Harbor Commission, having control of the harbor front of the City and County of San Francisco. Mr. Herold received the distinguished compliment of unanimous confirmation by a Senate which was of opposite political faith.

Mr. Rudolph Herold, Jr., is a native son of the State of California, having been born in the City and County of San Francisco on the 19th day of July, 1855. He is a son of the late Rudolph Herold, the distinguished musician, who spent a life time in California and whose musical abilities were recognized the world over. When quite a youth Mr. Herold entered the service of the Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Company in a subordinate position, and it speaks volumes for his meritorious service and ability that he has advanced steadily until in 1883 when he was made general agent of that company on this coast, which position he has ever since held. In the insurance world he stands as high as any other underwriter on the coast, and on he 1st of May of this year he will have completed an uninterrupted term of twenty-five years for this company.

Mr. Herold is one of our most prominent and advanced German-Americans. He is now, and has been, secretary of the Underwriters' Fire Patrol for the last nine years. He is also a director of the German Hospital and of the German Benevolent Society, and is now the second vice-president of both institutions. He is also a prominent clubman, being a member of the Bohemian, Olympic and Cosmos clubs, the San Francisco Schuetzen Verein and Deutscher Verein, and also Stanford Parlor, N. S. G. W.

Mr. Herold's appointment has given entire satisfaction to the business community of San Francisco, and whilst he does not take his office until March, 1898, it is generally understood that he will devote all necessary time to ascertaining the duties of his position to the end that he may make or assist in making a number of needed improvements.

Mr. Herold has been prominently identified with Democracy in this State for a good many years and served as a member of the Finance Committee and Advisory Committee of the State Central Committee. His appointment is generally approved by all of his friends and is especially gratifying to the Native Sons and the German-Americans.

COURT NEWS

Husband Responsible for Medical Attendance to a Wife.

DECISION BY JUDGE OGDEN.

Feature in the Estate of the Late Mrs. C. Schweiss.

ADMINISTRATORS IN POWER.

Facts of Interest in the Several Tribunals of Alameda County.

Is a husband liable for the medical, nursing and undertaking bills contracted in behalf of his wife? This was a nice little question of law that came up before Judge Ogden this morning. Last July, Mrs. Charlotte Schweiss died at Berkeley, leaving a husband about 30 years her junior.

She had accumulated a small fortune during her lifetime which amounted to $6,800.

A few years before her death, she took to herself a young husband.

This step aroused the bitter opposition of her nine brothers and sisters, who objected vigorously to the lady's action.

Today, the hubband, A. D. Schweiss filed his first account of the expenses and receipts derived from the estate.

The expense account includes disbursements for medical attendance, nursing and drugs during Mrs. Schweiss' last illness and also small accounts for flowers which brightened the sick-room. Even the undertaking bill went to swell the account.

The brothers and sisters made a protest and Judge Raymond was present in Court to uphold their objections.

When A. D. Schweiss was put on the witness stand and had sworn that his account was correct, Judge Raymond began to cross-examine him.

"Where did you find your deceased wife's bank-books?" queried the Judge.

"In her private box" answered the witness.

"What else did you find there?"

The youthful husband looked annoyed and finally stammered that he had also found a $20 gold piece. No accounting had been made of this money and the Judge wanted to know what had become of it.

Judge Raymond then entered an objection to the payment of the medical and undertaking bills on the grounds that the husband is liable for such debts. Judge Ogden sustained the objections and ordered Schweiss to appear next week with his accounts as administrator straightened out.

ADMINISTRATOR APPOINTED.

Mrs. Carrie Fross Synder was today appointed administrator of the estate of her deceased mother, Mrs. Mary C. Dalziel, who died the early part of this month. Mrs. Dalziel left an estate valued at $10,000 and there are two heirs, a daughter and son.

TO SELL PROPERTY.

Judge Ogden granted Mrs. P. H. McGrew the right to sell all property remaining in the estate of her deceased husband. The property is valued at several thousand dollars but claims against the estate amount to $18,000. McGrew was a well known resident of East Oakland.

BOREIN DIVORCE.

Mrs. Peter Borein, wife of the Ex-County Clerk and Recorder was today allowed $40 a month for her support during the pendancy of her divorce action.

From appearances the husband will not contest. He made no appearance in court this morning. The woman testified that her husband's fortune had disappeared. The home was mortgaged a short time ago, she said, and $1,900 of the money so obtained remained in the hands of her husband's uncle. Out of this her allowance will be paid.

MAY GO TO WHITTIER.

"Majah" Waters' daughter Sallie whose fourteen years of life have been spent in mischief will probably be sent to Whittier. The attention of Mrs. Sanford has been called to the young one and tomorrow Judge Ogden will officially inquire into the case.

CHARGES CROOKEDNESS.

Attorney O. G. Heaton, one of the creditors of the estate of John C. Lemos, the Haywards grocer, who has been adjudged insolvent, today filed an affidavit in which he charges that some dealings are in progress which would deprive the creditors of a share of the estate if carried out.

The objectionable claim is that of Mrs. Filomena Lemos of Haywards, who asserts that the insolvent is indebted to her in the sum of $500. Heaton has searched the Supervisorial records, and from them has ascertained that the woman is now drawing $8 a month from the county for her support.

"The claim is not worth one cent," said Heaton, "for she has declared once that she had nothing. Now I have looked the matter up in Haywards and found that the man once boarded with the woman, but furnished her all the groceries for herself, six children and several other boarders. If there is a balance it is the other way. The claim is spurious and is for the purpose of saving $500 for some one."

The matter was brought up in court today, and the attorney presented his argument. Judge Ellsworth decided that the affidavit came too late to prevent the election of an assignee, and Max Marcuse was appointed. Heaton intends to bring the matter up again when the time comes to pay the pro rata on the claims.

COURT NOTES.

No one appeared in court this morning to answer the call of the divorce case of B. F. Hudelson, and the matter was continued for one week.

Judge Hall today approved the return of Constable Ramage as assignee of the Knox estate of Haywards.

The case of Aylward against the Livermore Water and Power Company was today continued to Thursday.

David Rutherford today brought suit against J. E. Andrews to foreclose a $1,400 mortgage given on property in the King tract, Fruitvale.

PRODUCED THE WATCH.

James Warner's Lively Tilt With a Debt Collector.

James Warner had an unpleasant experience in Judge Clift's court this morning. He was up on an order of examination, having neglected to pay for a picture of his wife and for his coal. Collector Stewart had seen Warner around town with a very handsome gold watch and chain, and he asked where it was.

Warner replied that it was in San Francisco, in his office. Stewart asked if it were not a fact that it was in a store on Broadway. Warner replied that it was, and a few minutes later it was in the possession of the court, who will hold it pending a settlement.

Unfatherly Act.

Moses Barry was arrested by Detectives Holland and Shorey today for failing to provide for his minor child in San Francisco. He was released on a $50 bond.

AT THE OLD RATES.

Arbuckle Brothers Lose Their Suit Against the Sugar Trust.

TRIED TO CONTROL PRICES.

Move to Have a Receiver Appointed Opposed by the Court.

REGULATE THEIR OWN AFFAIRS.

Important Decision by Judge Morrison in a Suit of Great Interest.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 22.—The long expected decision of Judge Morris, in the Common Pleas Court, in the suit of Arbuckle Brothers against the Sugar Trust was delivered this morning. It is in favor of the latter.

The suit was brought by Thomas J. Kuhn and the Arbuckles, the owners of a minority of the stock in the Woolson Spice Company, against the Woolson Spice Company and the leading stock holders of the American Sugar Refining Company for the appointment of a receiver for the Woolson Company, the majority of whose stock has been bought by the Havemeyers of the trust. The plaintiffs declare that the Sugar Trust has purchased this stock to injure the Arbuckle Brothers and to keep them from going into the sugar refining business. He said that his business had been run at a loss and, therefore, the protection of the interests of the minority of the stockholders requires that perpetual injunction be made against the Woolsons selling coffee at a loss and that a receiver be appointed to conduct the business.

Judge Morris holds that the matter of the price at which the company may sell its coffee strictly pertains to the internal agreement of the concern, and as long as they act in good faith, the Directors cannot be interfered with by the Court which cannot restrain a corporation from selling at a low price, even though a minority of the stock holders can show that sound business discretion would dictate a different policy. The testimony, however, showed that the Woolsons were selling at a fair margin of profit. The application for a perpetual injunction is, therefore, denied. With regard to the other point, the Court holds that the agreement of a majority of the stock holders to sell the product for the time at such a price as will drive the competitor out of business will not make the corporation an unlawful conspiracy against such a competitor nor liable for his actual loss, nor entitle him to relief in the Courts.

The competitor for the public favor must bow to that law of trade that allows every man to dispose of his own property in the ordinary course of business on such terms as he sees fit.

The motion for the appointment of a receiver is, therefore, overruled.

TALE OF TROUBLE.

Doubt as to the Alleged Robbery of Mrs. Lucy Bost.

Mrs. Lucy Bost, a colored woman, was attacked by a couple of burglars and left bound and gagged on the floor of her room at 619 Sixth street Sunday morning. Mrs. Bost claims to have been in San Francisco Saturday night and says she returned on the 10 o'clock boat. On leaving the train at Broadway she met Henry Turner, who accompanied her home and remained there until nearly midnight. About 2 o'clock she was awakened by a noise and opened her eyes to see a couple of men in her room. She attempted to make an outcry and was bound and gagged by the men, who escaped, taking her purse which contained $16. She lay upon the floor of her room until found at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

The police are inclined to discredit the woman's story. They cannot understand how she could have lain for several hours on her floor, when an 18-year-old girl, who sleeps in the next room, could have been summoned.

CHANGES HIS MIND.

Dahl Anxious Now to Keep His Daughter Out of Prison.

Papa Wm. Dahl has changed his mind and is now as anxious to saxe his 16-year old daughter Helen from Whittier as he was to have her sent there a few days ago. Both he and his son, who first stood up in the girl's behalf, are working to have the committment revoked. The sheriff has been asked to assist, and Judge Hall has been petitioned to recall his order.

This combined action will probably have its effect and the girl's chances of being released are momentarily increasing.

WATCHING BALLOTS.

Until the proposed election contest is settled the ballots in the City Clerk's office will be kept under strict surveillance. The City Clerk has employed a man named Andrews to watch the ballots during the day and Chief Lloyd has detailed an officer to keep watch from 5 in the evening till 9 o'clock the next morning.

The ballots have been sealed three times, Mayor Davie himself having placed one seal upon them.

GOES AWAY.

William Huntington, better known among his friends as "Judge," who has lived for the last eight months at the Galindo Hotel, left today for San Francisco, where he will reside in the future.

For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Ten Days' Sale.

See prices at H. Schellhaas, Eleventh street.

REQUEST REFUSED.

A Woman Indignant Because She Is Not Given Relief.

SHE GOES AFTER MR. ROETH.

Demands His Reason for Declaring Her as Not Worthy.

LADY BUGS FOR FRUIT TREES.

Needs of the County Infirmary Shown to the Board of Supervisors.

This morning's session of the Board of Supervisors was brief, but heated.

All the routine matters of the county had been finished by 11 o'clock and then the Board adjourned for a week.

Mrs. A. J. Trout was given an audience at her request. She called the attention of the Board to the fact that Supervisor Roeth had refused her aid on the ground that she was an unworthy person. The lady grew excited as she exclaimed: "I want to know the reasons why Mr. Roeth has denied my application. I want him to state his reasons before you all."

A few minutes of excited talk followed, after which the Board sustained Roeth's action by again referring the matter to him.

GOOD FRUIT CROP.

Horticultural Commissioner William Barry sent in a written report. It stated that the prospect for a heavy fruit crop had never been better in the history of the county. More breeding colonies of ladybird bugs are to be established as soon as possible. The good work done by the insects in removing scale is already apparent.

The Printing Committee refused to order the publication of the ordinance in the Telegram and declined to increase the rate allowed to Echoes for the same work. All the other city and county papers were given the advertising previously. Supervisor Church wanted to know why the discrimination was shown and both Roeth and Wells declared the expense was too great.

COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The County Infirmary made requisition for a large number of vegetable seeds, plants and some apparatus, including a stethescope and a Rhonendenscope. This was granted, after considerable discussion.

A large number of residents on Peralta avenue, Elmhurst, petitioned that the name be changed to Talcott avenue. The request was respected and a suitable resolution changed the name.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Applications for liquor licenses were received from George Giblin, High street; Adam Kraft, Park avenue; H. Barbeau, Telegraph avenue and Forty-ninth street; Antonio Darilla, Alvarado; J. D. Plitt, San Leandro road, and John Hennengren, Alvarado.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably on the following: C. Clundt, Fitchburg; F. A. Peralta, Forty-eighth street; Mrs. Maria Thomford, Castro Valley; Albert Silver, Decota; Thomas Walsh, First and Telegraph avenues; T. Barbreri, Golden Gate, and C. Delune, Sunol.

SOUGHT RELIEF.

Applications for relief were made by W. C. Egles, 817 Peralta street; Mrs. M. Beckinpah, 908 Willow street; Mary Ferere, Twenty-second street, and Charles Fella, 658 Madison street.

The bond of G. A. Eaton, the newly appointed pound master of Washington district, was approved.

Millions of bottles Yorkshire Relish sold annually.

CHARTER DAY.

How It Will Be Observed at the University Tomorrow.

Tomorrow will be the twenty-ninth anniversary of the founding of the State University and this important day will be commemorated with a fitting celebration.

There is a general feeling of rejoicing at the State University over the recent benefits which the institution has received:

In the morning, beginning at 10:30, exercises will be conducted in Harmon gymnasium. The afternoon will be given over to visiting the buildings and places of interest about the campus and in the evening Professor Louis Du Pont Syle's new play, "The Chaplin's Revenge" will be presented for the first time at Shattuck Hall. During the morning the freshmen and sophomores will also celebrate by holding their last "rush" of the year somewhere on the slopes east of the campus. At the morning exercises President Kellogg will speak for the university at large; Dr. Joseph Le Conte for the faculty, Hon. William R. Davis for the alumni and J. O. Elston for the student body. No special invitations have been issued to the celebration, but a general one has been extended to the public by President Kellogg.

In the play to be given in the evening, eighteen students and instructors will be cast, prominent among whom are Instructor Frank Dunn, F. G. Bioletti, Harry H. Hirst, G. D. Kierulff and J. O. Elston. Eric Boegel has had charge of the business management and has succeeded in making a large sale of seats. The proceeds of the play will go to the Students' Aid Society and to the English department library.

CONFUSION IN ALARMS.

There was considerable confusion in the Fire Department about 11 o'clock Saturday night. There was a small chimney fire at Fifteenth and San Pablo avenue, for which a still alarm was turned in. The box in front of the City Hall was open but a wire had fallen across its wire and it was necessary to turn in another alarm from box 6, at Twelfth and Broadway, which accounted for the confusion of bells. An alarm from box 56 had also been sounded. When City Electrician Carleton went to the box to remove the key, he could not find his master key and stepped back a few paces under a street light to distinguish the master key from the others on his key ring. He left the box open and while his head was turned some miscreant pulled down the hook, thus sending in another alarm, and giving the inhabitants the impression that half the city was afire.

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BORN.

HENNING—In this city, March 20, 1897, to the wife of Mr. Henning, a son.

MARRIED.

BAUMAN—PETERSON—In this city, March 18, 1897, by Rev. A. Jatho, Peter Bauman and Ida Peterson, both of San Francisco.

DIED.

DAVIES—In this city, March 21, 1897, Mary Davies, a native of the parish of Llandewd, Radnorshire, Wales, aged 88 years, 2 months and 3 days.

KRESS—In Alameda, March 20, 1897, Mrs. Elizabeth Kress, a native of San Francisco, aged 22 years and 9 months.

MACKAY—In Berkeley, March 20, 1897, Amalia Mackay, a native of Berkeley, aged 6 years, 1 month and 20 days.

NICHOLS—At the County Infirmary, March 21, 1897, John Nichols, a native of Boston, Mass., aged 55 years.

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Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals.—Pursuant to statute and to Resolution No. 22,778 of the Council of the City of Oakland, adopted March 9th, 1897, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M. of the 29th day of March, 1897, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to be done according to the plans and specifications posted and on file and adopted by said Council March 9th, 1897, to-wit:

That East Twelfth street in said city, between the sewer in 1st avenue and 11th avenue, be sewered on each side with an 8 inch vitrified ironstone sewer as follows: From the sewer in 1st avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue to the sewer in 5th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue to the sewer in 6th avenue; from a point 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue; from the sewer in 9th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue; from the sewer in 10th avenue to a point 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue, and that 20 Y branches of 8 inch opening and 180 Y branches of 6 inch opening be constructed thereon; also a brick manhole be constructed thereon at each of the following points: At the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 2nd avenue; at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 3rd avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 5th avenue; at the northeastern and southwestern sides of the crossing of 6th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 8th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 9th avenue; at the northeastern side of the crossing of 10th avenue. Also that a lamphole be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points: At 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 4th avenue; at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 5th avenue; at 25 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 7th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 9th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 10th avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 11th avenue. Also that gratings with conduit pipe 8 inches diameter be constructed thereon on each side of East 12th street at each of the following points: At 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 1st avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 2nd avenue; at 25 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 4th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 5th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 6th avenue; at 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 8th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 8th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 9th avenue; at 3 feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of 10th avenue; also that a grating with 8 inch conduit pipe be constructed on each side of East 12th street at points 3 feet northwesterly from the northwestern line of 7th avenue and connected with the sewer in 7th avenue. Also that 2 brick catchbasins with 10 inch conduit pipe be constructed at points 2 feet southwesterly from the northeastern line of East 12th street in each of the following street crossings, to-wit: 4th avenue, 5th avenue, 6th avenue, 7th avenue, 8th avenue, 9th avenue and 10th avenue.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid either a check, payable to the order of the Mayor of said city, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or else a bond for said amount; and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer, competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland, City Hall, March 22nd, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

SITUATION WANTED by a competent person to do general housework; Protestant; references. Union Hotel, Thirteenth ave. and Twelfth st., E. Oakland.

FOR RENT—House of twelve rooms, containing all modern improvements; located at Fortieth and San Pablo ave. Enquire J. F. McCourtney, on premises.

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No. 2266.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

UNION NATIONAL BANK

At Oakland, in the State of California, at the Close of Business, March 9, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ [illegible] 84
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	[illegible]
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,161 75
Stocks, securities, etc	54,060 44
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6,047 10
Other real estate and mortgages owned	12,698 [illegible]
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	[illegible]
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,966 33
Due from approved reserve agents	[illegible]
Checks and other cash items	246 71
Exchanges for clearing house	2,446 39
Notes of other National Banks	465 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	[illegible]
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie, $117,410.50; legal tender notes, $307	117,717 50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	$1,0[illegible],064 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,618 67
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Due to other National Banks	6,061 64
Dividends unpaid	1,550 00
Individual deposits subject to check	357,408 23
Demand certificates of deposit	178,461 56
Certified checks	4,090 21
Bills payable	130,000 00
Total	$1,080,064 52

State of California, County of Alameda, ss.

I, C. E. Palmer, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. PALMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1897.

(L. S.) W. L. PRATHER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. S. FARRELLY,
JOHN CHAS. ADAMS,
THOS. PRATHER,
Directors.

No. 2266.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Oakland, in the State of California, at the Close of Business, March 9, 1897.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$[illegible]
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,[illegible] 71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	4,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc	22,342 [illegible]
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6,500 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	[illegible]
Due from State Banks and Bankers	37,029 [illegible]
Due from approved reserve agents	[illegible]
Checks and other cash items	2,338 73
Notes of other National Banks	200 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	516 78
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie, $65,640; legal tender notes, $206	[illegible]
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	$[illegible]

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$[illegible]
Surplus fund	27,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,085 47
National bank notes outstanding	36,850 00
Due to other National Banks	23,349 22
Due to State Banks and Bankers	661 76
Dividends unpaid	6,260 00
Individual deposits subject to check	222,179 65
Demand certificates of deposit	146,712 44
Certified checks	246 65
Total	$[illegible]

State of California, County of Alameda, ss.

I, L. G. Burpee, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. G. BURPEE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1897.

(Seal) F. S. PAGE, Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

Correct—Attest:

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GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 4, fourth floor San Francisco.

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of Ninth street, Oakland, room 8, telephone No. 83.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

GREEN MAJORS, Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public. 1003½ Broadway.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at-law, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law, room 3, district attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law 861 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 864½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

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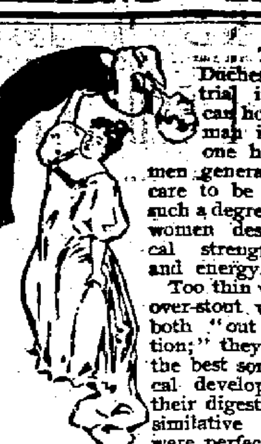

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Andrew Costa, a resident of Oakland, aged 23, and Mamie Ghiradelli, a resident of Oakland, aged 18; by Judge F. C. Clift.

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James E. Lewis, a resident of Alameda, aged 22, and Annie E. Schuhmann, a resident of San Leandro, aged 19; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Charles Martin Stein, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22, and May Francis Kenny, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19; by Judge F. C. Clift.

John Quincy Nutter, a resident of Gosten, aged 46, and Melanie Locke, a resident of San Francisco, aged 39; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Leopold Denmire, a resident of Oakland, aged 33; and Annie Brockmeyer, a resident of Oakland, aged 22; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Anthony D. Dorrett, a resident of Chico, aged 30, and Margaret B. Collins, a resident of Chico, aged 27; by Judge F. C. Clift.

Arthur Lewis Boothrough, a resident of Oakland, aged 40, and Emilie Agusta Draheim, a resident of Oakland, aged 29; by Judge F. C. Clift.

John W. Gomersall, a resident of Haywards, aged 32, and Elizabeth Ann Cordell, a resident of Haywards, aged 50; by Rev. R. W. Gober.

John J. McKenna, a resident of San Francisco, aged 30, and Mary A. Powers, a resident of Oakland, aged 29; by Judge F. C. Clift.

William J. Drieschmeyer, a resident of San Jose, aged 24, and Lila Johnson, a resident of Oakland, aged 20; by Judge H. T. Morris.

R. T. McPherson, a resident of Stockton, aged 23, and Lither O. Johnson, a resident of San Francisco, aged 18; by Rev. S. S. Palmer.

Harry Gelden, a resident of Oakland, aged 23, and Helen V. Green, a resident of Oakland, aged 19; by Rev. Chas. W. Wendte.

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August P. Schumacher, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25, and Pauline F. Kaiser, a resident of Oakland, aged 23; by Rev. A. Jatho.

Charles S. Armstrong, a resident of Oakland, aged 28 and Alexandria C. Spencer, a resident of Lorin, aged 19; by Rev. J. J. Vogel.

Arthur M. Carrier, a resident of Fruitvale, aged 26, and Elizabeth Jane Hall, a resident of Fruitvale, aged 23; by Judge E. L. Lawrence.

George W. Amtein, a resident of San Francisco, aged 32, and Mamie Sloan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 20; by Rev. F. D. Bovard.

Robert H. Fialo, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26, and Flora Carrie Althof, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22, by Rev. G. R. Dodson.

Harry O. Warren, a resident of Alameda, aged 19, and Nora Bell Dayhuff, a resident of Alameda, aged 20; by Rev. F. D. Bovard.

William A. T. Savage, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26, and Maggie Sullivan, a resident of San Francisco, aged 25; by Rev. Thomas McSweeny.

Clarence W. Ayers, a resident of Sonora, aged 39, and Charlotte E. Lynn, a resident of Sonora, aged 36; by Judge W. H. H. Gentry.

Jasper M. von Bulow, a resident of San Francisco, aged 19, and Mary G. Mossman, a resident of San Francisco, aged 22; by Rev. Alfred Kummer.

Thomas J. Kennedy, a resident of San Francisco, aged 26, and Della Leonard, a resident of San Francisco, aged 21; by Rev. J. A. Butler.

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Mother's Mush is a breakfast delight.

TELEGRAPH AVENUE HOLES

J. F. W. Sohst Has Something to Say About Filling Them.

The Controversy Over the Subject With the Superintendent of Streets.

The following letter which explains itself has been received at this office:

"OAKLAND, March 22, 1897.

"To the Editor of the Tribune:—Permit me a small space in your paper in answer to an insinuation made by Mr. Miller, that the reports on Telegraph avenue by the committee of the Merchants' Exchange are purely political.

"I was informed by Mr. Miller that Mr. Benham was trying to get his position. I will state that I have not spoken to the last named gentleman for a year, neither to Mr. Thomas, his partner and Mayor-elect, further than saying that I don't care who is Street Superintendent, but when appointed on a committee, I shall discharge my duty without fear or favor.

In a previous communication he says that the street department spends about $100,000 a year and it is the duty of the Street Superintendent, among other things, to see that this large sum of money is wisely, judiciously and economically expended.

"I fully agree with Mr. Miller on this point, but I can not understand how the street department could expend $80 for making a diagram. In other words a picture of the chuck-holes on Telegraph avenue.

"And a great majority of the people of Oakland, say, at the rate of eight and one-half cents per square foot, this wasted $80 would have filled in nearly 950 holes, one foot square. What good is the picture now to the taxpayers, since the holes are filled in? Not one cent.

"Mr. Miller also says it is not true that the holes have been filled in twice or three times. Mr. Theodore Radtke of Eighteenth and Telegraph avenue will make affidavit that they have been filled in three times— the first time with red rock and horse fillings. He drew the attention of the neighbors to it at the time. Previous to this the holes had been measured three different times.

"Mr. Miller has signaled me out of all the people who objected to his mode of repairing bituminized streets.

"Mr. Chappellet and Mr. Robert Dalziel denounced his method before the City Council in Mr. Miller's presence, in much stronger language than I have ever used. Why doesn't he quote them occasionally.

"A member of the Grand Jury, since Councilman-elect, wanted this matter brought before the Grand Jury. He thought it should be stopped by somebody. He referred to the filling of the holes on Telegraph avenue with rock. Mr. Miller knows this gentleman also, why don't he go for him?

"Why did he not convince the City Council and prevent it from passing the ordinance which it did, without a dissenting voice, in Mr. Miller's presence, disregarding all his efforts that he used to the last minute to defeat?

"The Merchants' Exchange received reports from Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Brown and myself at nearly every meeting, if they had not been satisfied with the work of their committee they would long since have discharged us. Yours truly J. F. W. SOHST."

LETTER LIST.

Aitken, S N	Andrews, Miss
Armstrong, D F	Armstrong, Avery
Armstrong, Mrs M	Atkin, Mrs
Baker, Mrs Ida C	Bailey, Miss H
Bann, W B	Barnard, Miss A M
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	Bean, Mrs Addie
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Belmore, Irene	Bennett, G W
Berger, Nelson J	Bertram, C S
Bevin, Miss Josephine	Bourkman, Jennie
	Brady, Mrs Wm
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Buham, Mrs Maggie	Burnham, Clara H
Bushey, Geo	
Callan, Mr	Cairnes, Minnie
Casselle, J D	Chapel, Mrs H G
Chittenden & Clark	Chopman, Miss
Coadey, Miss R E	Coburn, E A
Colcord, Stella Gladys	Converse, E
	Cook, J J
Cornwall, Dr Ambrose	Corybell, Joe
	Crooker, Fred D
Culhane, C A	Culver, Mrs F A
Cunningham, John	
De Bock, Mrs M	De Freitos, Andrew
De Nola, Jose C	Dunbar, Dick
Dwinelle, Mrs Caroline E	Dunn, Orrin W
	Duncan, W
Duncan, N G	
Eastman, Chas R	
Fay, Mrs Rosamond	Fisher, G C
Franklin, Mary B	Fraser, J B
Frost, Daisy	
Gish, Mrs E L	Grant, Geo P
Greer, Mrs J W	
Hanna, Mrs	Hanson, Mrs A
Hansen, Miss Emma	Harris, W F
Hatter, L F	Hawes, Mrs Retta A
Haywards, Mrs Minnie	Hays, Fannie
	Heato, Jennie
Heabon, Mrs	Henderson, Mrs Jennette
Hemmingway, Rose	
Heyman, Mrs	Higgins, Mrs Harrie
Hicks, J L	Hill, Mrs
Hofleng, Mary	Howell, Miss Kate
Hoyt, Wm H	Hughes, Jerry
Hunt, Mrs M E	
Inman, Miss S D	Ingalls, Mrs
Jacobson, Mrs Hannah	Johanason, Mrs Charlotta
Johnson, Mrs	Johnson, Jno
Johnson, Miss L G	Jorhem, Fred
Jones, Mrs J	Jordan, Miss Lillie
Kelly Bros, druggists	Klewish, Mrs A
Lang, Mr	Lentz, Mrs Minnie
Lilestrom, Mary	Loveland, Mrs M H
Lovell, Mrs Lizzie	
Malone, Ed	Maxwell, Robt
McBrierty, C	McCullough, Mrs
McGrath, Christie	McKinley, Jim
Mellus, N S	Mernagh, Miss C
Mills, Frank H	Miller, Germa
Miller, Mrs J N Jr	Miller, Walter B
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Monroe, Capt Geo E	Moore, Mrs T A
Morgan, Geo	
Nielson, Mrs M V	Nye, J
O'Conner, Mrs J	O'Hara, Miss Della
Painter, Mrs	Palmer, Miss
Parish, C D	Paterson, Mrs Hattie
Penin, E R	
Pereau, L	Peterson, Mrs A B
Phelps, E S	Pimentel, M M
Prentice, Howard	Pritchard, Mrs Polly
Pullis, Mrs	Pumyea, Mrs Mattie
Redfield, D	Rescome, Mrs E
Renton, Hamilton	Reizer, A A
Rex, H A	Rhea, Walter
Risberg, Mr	Robertson, Mary K
Robinson, W J	Roland, Mrs Lou
Rourke, J J	
Sanders, Clarence	Sellwood, Mrs
Sharp, R G	Shimasaki, M
Siedentopf, H R	Silva, George
Silven, Emma A	Simms, Mrs S A
Smith, Mrs K	Soule, Anna
Stillwaggon, Mrs Mary	Stine, Miss
	Sulete, Mrs
Taylor, Mrs Lizzie	Taylor, Lina
Teeple, Miss L	Terry, Mrs Alma
Thomas, Cuyler	Tigner, L
Tillison, Addie	Togue, Mrs
Tracey, Miss	Tyrna, A
Tungsten, Felix	Tucker, Mrs Irene
Van Dyke, J N	Vignier, Mrs
Voorheis, Gertrude	
Walters, Peter	Werner, G
Welch, Mrs Cornelia	Wells, G M
	Wheeler, Carrie A
White, Mrs May	Wilby, Mrs
Williams, Miss Nannie	Wilson, George R
Wink, Mrs S	Winston, Mrs J W
Wolf, Mrs Rachel	Winter, S H
Wright, Mrs S C	Wright, Maggie
Zumwalt, Isiah	Wytie, Mrs A E

Miscellaneous — Pacific Engineering School, Thomson Bridge Co.

Postage Due—G Anderson, Hanna Johansson.

J. J. WHITE, Postmaster.

(Official.)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, March 15th, 1897

The Board of Supervisors met at ten o'clock A. M. The roll was called and all members were found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved without alteration.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS.

The following named persons made application for relief and were referred to the Supervisors hereinafter named:

TO SUPERVISOR CHURCH.

Wm. Harrison, aged 73 years, residing on Second street, between Franklin and Webster, native of Indiana, widower, with one child.

TO SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.

Jacintha Rosa, aged 39 years, residing at 1115 Third street, native of Portugal, and a widow.

Mrs. Spillane, aged 60 years, residing at 1151 Third street, a native of Portugal, widow, and one child.

Mrs. M. Araos, residing in Temescal, native of California, married, one child.

Mrs. Alice Flaherty, aged 44 years, residing at 1405 Eighteenth street, native of Ireland, widow and six children.

TO SUPERVISOR ROETH.

Mrs. M. L. Evans of 1064 Eleventh avenue, aged 57 years, nativity Chili, widow.

TO HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Thos. Jones, race track, aged 22 years, native of California and unmarried.

Wm. Koss, Elmhurst, age 58 years, native of Germany, single.

APPLICATION FOR PERMITS.

Applications were received from C. Delmue, Sunol.

G. Barbreri, Golden Gate.

Thomas Walsh, First avenue and Telegraph.

Albert Silver, Decoto.

C. Clundt, Fitchburg.

Maria Thomford, Castro Valley Exchange.

Fred A. Peralta, Forty-eighth and Telegraph avenue.

Accompanying each application were bonds in proper form and correct amount, which were upon motion duly approved and the applications referred to the Judiciary Committee.

THE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

Reported favorably upon the applications of R. Cavagna, F. Bormann, Chris Bocken and Jacob Johnson, and thereafter appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors.

CONCRETE RESERVOIR, COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Church:

"Resolved, That the Hospital Committee be and the committee is hereby authorized to proceed in the matter of the construction of a concrete reservoir at the County Infirmary to request and to receive bids for the construction of said reservoir according to plans and specifications drawn and now in the office of the County Surveyor, and that it be further resolved that the cost of said reservoir shall not exceed the sum of $2,900. Bill for same to be paid out of the County Infirmary Fund."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4. Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

COMPROMISE OF SUIT OF DUNN VS. ALAMEDA CO.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Church:

"Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, that the District Attorney of said County of Alameda be and he is hereby authorized, directed and empowered to enter into a stipulation with the plaintiff in the case entitled J. P. Dunn vs. the County of Alameda, now pending in the Justice's Court of Oakland Township, Alameda County, California, and numbered 14,149, whereby said plaintiff in said case may be authorized and allowed to take judgment and to have the same entered against the said defendant in said case, the County of Alameda, for the sum of $125.00 without costs."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Roeth, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

The following reports were received:

From Chas. M. Fisher, physician and surgeon County Jail, showing services to prisoners, 281; services to indigents, 156, in month of February, 1897.

From Chas. M. Fisher, physician and surgeon of County Jail, showing number of services to prisoners, 141; number of services to indigents, 100.

From Dr. J. P. Young, Health Officer, Washington Township.

Reports ordered received and placed on file.

ALLOWANCE OF CREDITS.

James Hayes made application for certain credits so that his term of imprisonment would expire March 13th instead of March 25th, and

Wm. McMaster also applied for credits so that his term would expire March 21st instead of March 28th.

The recommendation of Jailer being favorable, the petitions were granted.

REQUISITIONS.

Were received from S. B. Adriance, for garden plants, tools, etc. Referred to Supervisor Talcott with power.

From Sheriff, for certain blanks. Referred to Printing Committee.

From County Recorder, for certain articles of stationery, blank books, etc. Granted.

The requisition from Superintendent of County Infirmary for electrical apparatus, etc., was postponed again for one week.

TIDAL CANAL APPROPRIATION.

A petition was received from J. F. Forder, F. W. Van Sicklen and W. R. Poyser, also from Edward F. Adams, Jas. P. Taylor and M. J. Keller, members of the committee appointed to act jointly on the "tidal canal completion and Oakland harbor improvement matters," requesting the Board of Supervisors to appropriate $200 towards defraying the expenses of Dr. J. T. McLean while engaged at Washington in properly bringing to the attention of Congress the needs of the harbor and canal. Supervisor Church moved that the sum of $200 be appropriated and paid and that the Auditor be directed to draw his warrant in favor of Dr. J. T. McLean for that amount.

The roll was called and the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Not voting—Supervisor Roeth—1.

APPROVAL OF BOND OF WM. VONDERHEIDT.

The bond of Wm. Vonderheidt as Poundmaster of Temescal Road District was presented, accepted and ordered approved by the Chairman of the Board.

DEDICATION OF ROAD FROM SAN LEANDRO TO SAN LORENZO.

Judge S. G. Nye appeared before the Board and presented from Mary J. Knox and Elizabeth Smith a deed to right of way for public travel and for the uses of a public road on and over certain real property described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southwestern line of the county road leading from San Lorenzo to San Leandro and known as the Watkins street road, at a point S. 36 deg. E. 186¾ feet distant from the intersection of said line of said road with the southwesterly line of the right of way of the C. P. R. R. Co., thence N. 36 deg. W. along said line of said road 74½ feet to the most southerly point of a strip of land conveyed to said railroad company by Elizabeth Smith by deed recorded in Recorder's office of said Alameda County March 5, 1897, at 56 min. past 9 o'clock A. M. Thence N. 42 deg. 38 min. W. along said last tract further and parallel to said line of said right of way and 20 feet distant therefrom 709 feet to the most westerly corner of a strip of land conveyed by said Mary J. Knox to said railroad company by deed recorded in said Recorder's office March 5, 1897, at 56 min. past 9 o'clock A. M. Thence at right angles southwesterly 20 feet. Thence S. 42 deg. 38 min. E. parallel to said line of said right of way of said railroad company 783.88 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 313-1000 of an acre.

Supervisor Wells moved that the deed be accepted, seconded by Supervisor Roeth.

The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None.

PUBLICATION OF ASSESSOR'S NOTICES IN "TELEGRAM."

The District Attorney reported that there was no legal reason why the "Telegram" could not publish the notices of the Assessor.

A request was then made by Mr. Marshall for permission to publish the Assessor's notices in the "Telegram." The request was referred to the Printing Committee.

GAL. TWO—SUPES. Rn.-LaXas.

COMPLAINT AGAINST POUNDMASTER PERALTA DISTRICT.

Supervisor Roeth stated that residents of Claremont District complained that the Poundmaster of Peralta District claimed that he had a right to impound stock found running at large in Claremont District.

After some discussion the matter was referred to Supervisor Roeth to investigate.

DAMAGES TO ROADS IN CASTRO VALLEY ROAD DISTRICT.

Road Overseer Hoare reported that he had been over the roads in Castro Valley Road District and that the storms had done great damage. He would, he said, like to have the Board visit and inspect the roads.

That the Moraga road was impassable.

The Board upon motion duly made and seconded resolved to visit and inspect the roads as a Committee of the Whole.

ROCK CRUSHER CLAREMONT DISTRICT.

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Roeth as follows:

"Resolved, That Supervisor Roeth, as Road Commissioner of Piedmont and Claremont Road Districts, be and he is hereby authorized to purchase portable rock crushers with engine and necessary attachments to be placed at the quarry in Piedmont Road District at a cost not to exceed $400, and that the claim of the above when presented be paid out of the General Road Funds."

Supervisor Roeth moved the adoption of the resolution.

Seconded by Supervisor Wells, who explained that he did so in order that the resolution might be considered.

After some discussion the roll was called and the resolution lost by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.

Noes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell and Talcott—3.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE IN "ECHOES."

Frank Robinson of the "Echoes" addressed the Board, stating that the rates fixed for the publications of the notices in weekly papers was not sufficient compensation, and asked that a larger allowance be made.

Referred to Printing Committee.

APPLICATION FOR FREE LICENSE.

An application was received from one Josephs asking for free license to peddle. After consideration the request was refused by unanimous vote.

RECESS.

The Board then took a recess until two o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reassembled at two o'clock. The roll was called and all members found to be present.

The Board upon motion duly made and seconded and carried, suspended rule 4, and the following bills, having been reported on favorably by a majority of the Auditing and Finance Committee, were unanimously ordered paid to the following named persons for the sums set opposite their respective names and out of the funds hereinafter mentioned:

1561. Leitar & Pugh, remodelling Dept. 3, Feb. 16-27, $527.45.

1562. Chas. Roeth, mileage, Feb. 1-28, $57.10.

1563. M. Y. Stewart, jury fees, Jan. 1-31, $17.80.

1564. J. R. Talcott, mileage, Feb. 1—Mar. 1, $52.30.

1565. F. P. Thwaites, assignee J. D. McClelland, services Dist. Att'y, Jan. 12-15, $150.

1566. Thos. D. Wells, mileage, Feb. 1-28, $35.50.

ROAD 2897.

The Board then resumed the hearing of the report of viewers in the matter of opening road 2897, continued to 2 o'clock this day.

A. D. Colby and M. M. Dunn were sworn and gave testimony.

The matter was fully considered, and upon motion of Supervisor Roeth, seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, the matter was further continued, hearing being set for Monday, July 12th, at 11 o'clock A. M., by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Roeth, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Wells—1.

ROAD 2896.

The hearing of the report of viewers in the matter of the opening of road 2896 was then brought up for consideration pursuant to the understanding at last meeting.

After further consideration the following resolution was introduced:

"Whereas, The report of the viewers in the matter of proposed public road number 2896 was filed herein on the 25th day of January, 1897; and

"Whereas, The hearing of said report was thereupon and by order of this Board duly fixed for the 19th day of February, 1897, and notice thereof was duly given in accordance with law; and

"Whereas, the hearing of said report was, by order of this Board, duly and regularly continued and postponed from time to time to and until the 15th day of March, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M.

"Now on this the 15th day of March, 1897, at two o'clock P. M., the said report of said viewers coming on regularly to be heard by this Board, and it duly appearing to this Board that said proposed public road number 2896 will pass over the lands of Sarah R. Yoakum, and that said Sarah R. Yoakum is a non-consenting land owner herein, and objects to the opening of said proposed public road as a public road and highway, and that said report of said viewers herein is fair, just and correct in every particular, that the said Sarah R. Yoakum will be damaged in the sum of $498 by reason of the opening of said proposed public road, and that the said sum of $498 should be awarded to said Sarah R. Yoakum as damage for the opening of said public road over her lands as aforesaid, and this Board having upon said hearing heard and considered the evidence offered by parties interested for and against the proposed public road;

"Now therefore be it Resolved, By this Board, that the report of the viewers herein and hereinbefore referred to be and the same is hereby approved and adopted;

"And be it further Resolved, By the Board of Supervisors of said County of Alameda, that the damage to be awarded to said Sarah R. Yoakum, the aforesaid non-consenting land owner herein, be and they are hereby ascertained and declared by this Board to amount to the sum of $498 for the opening of said proposed public road over the aforesaid lands of Sarah R. Yoakum.

"Be it further Resolved, By this Board, that the sum of $498 be and the same is hereby transferred from the Brooklyn Road Fund of said County of Alameda, to the Road Damage Fund of said County of Alameda, and that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to notify the Auditor of said County of Alameda and the Treasurer of said County of Alameda to make such transfer;

"And be it further Resolved, That said Clerk be and he is further hereby directed to notify said Auditor to draw his warrant on the Road Damage Fund in favor of said Sarah R. Yoakum for the said sum of $498, and that the said Treasurer pay said warrant out of said Road Damage Fund."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5. Noes—None.

ACCEPTANCE OF KLEBER AVENUE.

A petition was received from W. W. Whitman and Frederic C. Torrey asking the Board to accept Kleber avenue as the said avenue is shown on map of Anderson tract, and that the same be declared to be a county road and public highway.

Referred to County Surveyor for examination.

COUNTY ROAD 2896.

The Board accepted the offer of J. Tyrrell to donate toward the expenses of opening county road No. 2896 the sum of $160 was accepted, and Mr. Tyrrell was requested to deliver the same to the County Treasurer, the same to be credited to the Brooklyn District Road Fund.

OFFICIAL GRADE OF SAN LEANDRO ROAD AT MT. VIEW AVENUE.

A petition was received asking that the official grade of San Leandro road and Mountain View avenue be established.

Referred to Supervisor Talcott.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet March 22, 1897.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.

Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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UNION LABEL

MONDAY..............MARCH 22, 1897.

The echo of the coyote howl promises to be louder than the original.

Office holders of Oakland are still seeking "Indorsements." And this in the face of the recent election.

Had the Carson event been delayed four days the world would never have heard of those fugitive telegrams and the "hungriest mob ever gathered." The Legislature would have been too busy to hunt for them.

News comes today from Corral Hollow that there are twenty million tons of coal in sight. Oaklanders should so work as to get a sight of some of those tons being shipped from her wharves after being brought here by a railroad from the Hollow.

The conference between the Valley Railroad people and the local committee is being eagerly awaited. There can be no doubt that a passage line into this city from Point Richmond is contemplated if a reasonable inducement be offered.

Constable Rose says that a drowned horse was found in the creek at Pleasanton a few days ago, and that the driver got wet. The San Francisco papers continue to report "mysteries" of missing men and women. Where shall the line be drawn?

People on the street are asking how some of the defeated office-holders will live after the first week of next month. The question is best answered by asking some of those who went out of office two years ago how they have fared. The solution of the problem would be a revelation.

Now that Congress is inclined to grant a decent appropriation for Oakland Harbor, citizens of Alameda and Oakland should at once send Dr. McLean a return ticket with a resolution that he use it at once. If a ticket can be telegraphed the appropriation will be so much safer.

No one would imagine that Director J. H. W. Sohst of the Merchants' Exchange is a humorist. His references Saturday to the Street Department spending money making diagrams of chuck-holes on Telegraph avenue instead of filling them was positively funny. He argued that the cost of the pictures could have filled nearly a thousand feet of holes.

An Eastern Exchange notes an entirely new educational enterprise, from which some very important results may be reached: Morris K. Jessup, a New York capitalist, will pay the expenses of expeditions that will occupy six or seven years in studying the races and languages of northeastern Asia and northwestern America. The purpose is to discover the flow of humanity between the two continents, and the ethnic relations of Asia and America. Between the Columbia river and Behring Strait ten languages are found that are fundamentally distinct, and those languages have thirty-seven dialects which are mutually unintelligible. On the Asiatic side there are seven distinct languages spoken in at least ten dialects, which are mutually unintelligible, but there may be more. The expenditure of a large sum in such a research shows that science is still enterprising and that money is not entirely controlled by modern materialism but has also an ambition for antiquarian discoveries.

The Road Issue.

It would be a misfortune, and yet it is a probability, to have Governor Budd veto the bill which provides for the construction of a State system of highways. The agitation for good roads which started so determinedly prior to the last election cystallized itself into the measure now in the Executor's hands and the hopes of the community are centered on its becoming a law.

The danger that confronts it is not of one antagonism to the project by the Governor. There is probably no man in the State more in sympathy with the movement than is he, and it is certain that no one has done more to aid it to accomplish its purpose, for in his hands was placed the appointing power of the Commission and he did not act until he was certain that he had obtained men who would further the enterprise with every available means. The trouble now is simply one of finance. The Governor was elected on a platform that pledged him to a 45 cent tax levy he has determined that nothing shall stop him from running the State on that limit. Now the tax levy as arranged by the Legislature calls for 46¼ cents on the assessment basis of last year, the figures having been swollen by an additional cent for the State University and 1¼ cents for the Highway Commission.

The problem therefore arises of where must the cut be made. The Democratic papers are urging the Governor to slash the general appropriation bill until the limit is reached and though it is possible that the end may be accomplished that way it is known that he [illegible] at the 2½ cents set apart [illegible] highways

A Hope of Harmony.

In a few days there will be a new order of things at the City Hall. The change is coming none too soon for the benefit of all concerned. The retiring officers, although their administration has been subject to criticism, have no doubt acted conscientiously and should be accorded the thanks of the municipality for having done their best. Unfortunately, the mixture of political creeds prevented a harmonious administration and much that has been done had better have been left undone and a great deal that has been left undone should have been undertaken. But all this is passed and citizens can afford to be very kind to their virtues and totally blind to their faults.

The new officials have none of the old excuses for shortcomings that have been made by individual members of the administration that is fast passing into history. The Board of Works is Republican, the majority of the Council is Republican and the other officials are all Republicans. This happy state of affairs will render impossible the bickerings and personalities that have been star features in the many municipal farces that have filled the boards during the past two years. This political unanimity also adds greatly to the responsibility of those to whom the city's government is entrusted for the next two years. It is expected of them, that they will use their power, not to make personal politics, but to govern.

A great fault in the past has been, that there has existed no bond of sympathy between the various commercial bodies of Oakland and the city government. Projects put forth by one element would be opposed by the other and instead of working hand in hand and getting the benefit of each other's experience, the spectacle has borne a close resemblance to that of two dogs fighting for a bone while it is carried off by a third canine. This simile very fitly represents the present conflict between the merchants and the Council regarding the large volume of Oakland trade that goes to San Francisco. It is not in the power of any one man to remedy this evil but the experience of years which the merchants have gained and the knowledge of the ethics of municipal government which it is presumed the new administration possesses, should together, be able to vastly improve existing conditions. And what is true of trade, is also true of moral questions. Hitherto the City Council has been regarded as a body antagonistic to all reform and has been approached in a belligerent spirit and with the idea that it must be subdued. This is of course wrong and after recent experiences the new officials have an excellent opportunity, from the Mayor down to inaugurate and carry out a broad-minded policy that shall be alike a credit to themselves and will compel for Oakland the respect of every other city.

General Hawley, United States Senator from Connecticut and the reputed owner of the Hartford Courant in a recent speech on the Labor Commission Bill, made this reference to his early days: "My earliest recollections of boyhood are of living in a log house in the pine woods and going to a log schoolhouse. I worked upon a farm, and I worked hard. At thirteen I was the janitor of a church for a time, and when I went to college I taught my landlady's daughters in the afternoons for two hours to pay my board bills, and in another place the good woman allowed me to saw, split and carry wood to pay for my board. And when I came out of college I was in debt, but I paid it all off in four years, I am happy to say. I was clerk in a store for a while. I taught school three winters. I turned my hand to any and everything to earn an honest livelihood, for there was nobody poorer in that neighborhood than we were. I was a barefooted boy, living in the piney woods, and I know the whole gamut of labor. I lived among people who labored. Does any one tell me that I am not "in touch with labor?"

Greece, while nominally ruled by a King, is one of the most Democratic countries in the world. Marquis De Fontenoy says that the sons of King George of Greece share with the members of the reigning house of Spain the distinction of having no legal right to the title of "prince." That is to say, Constantine, George, Nicholas and Christopher have no right to that title as sons of the King of Greece, and if it is accorded to them abroad, at foreign courts, it is partly out of courtesy, and partly, too, as grandsons of the King of Denmark. Neither the Greek constitution nor that of Spain provides for the existence of any "princes," so-called, or recognizes the title, and at Athens no one dreams of according the style of "prince" to any of the King's sons. In fact, they stand, legally speaking, in the peculiar position of having no title whatsoever and no patronymic, and sometimes they jokingly describe themselves as "princes of nothing and counts of nowhere."

The late President Lincoln had a large fund of good stories. When he wanted to illustrate some point he could always draw on this fund. Among others, he told the following good one on President Tyler: "During Mr. Tyler's incumbency of the office he arranged to make an excursion in some direction, and sent his son "Bob" to arrange for a special train. It happened that the railroad superintendent was a strong Whig. As such he had no favors to bestow on the President, and informed "Bob" that his road did not run any special trains for the President. "What," said "Bob", "did you not furnish a special train for the funeral of General Harrison?" "Yes," said the superintendent, "and if you'll bring your father in that condition you shall have the best train on the road."

Congressman Bland has experienced a great variety of political vicissitudes. Prior to the Chicago nominating convention he confidently expected the Democratic nomination. He would stay at home and make hay while his political friends made hay for him in Chicago. They turned him down without mercy. A Speaker was to be elected the other day in Washington. There was an opportunity for the soft money Democrats to give Bland a complimentary vote for Speaker. But they did no such thing. Out of 108 votes which they could have cast for him, they gave him only twenty-two votes.

RHYMES OF THE DAY.

Elect McKinley, Hanna said,
And start the idle mills.
The mills will soon be going now
In far Nevada's hills.
—New Haven Register.

"Aren't you weary, comrade, weary,
Of this mania for counts,
And this gushing over titles
That are sold for large amounts?
Aren't you tired, sorely tired,
Of this question, Who shall lead
In the ranks of the four hundred—
Who shall follow, who precede?—
I should smile!

"Aren't you weary, friend, most weary,
Of the Beardsley craze in art?
Of the knickerbocker bloomers
That are thought to be so 'smart'?
Aren't you tired, tired, tired
Of ten thousand other crazes
That the faddist hounds us till we
Feel like yelling, 'Go to blazes!'
Well, I guess!"
—Griffin, Ga., News.

Fitz or Corbett?—
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
Is the question that puzzles us out of our wits,
When we read of the bags that they break with a punch,
And the things they absorb for their dinner and lunch.

Each we know is as swift as the loon when he flits—
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
Who will land the knock-out on the point of the jaw
For the coveted crown in the play-house to draw?

While they run and they swim and they caper and jump,
And the mugs of their trainers most wantonly thump,
"Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?"
All the trainers inquire while they're facing their mitts.

And we ask while we dream of the swift upper cut,
And the bang that the optic bangs suddenly shut,
And the merry cross counter that bruises or splits,
Oh, will it be Corbett or will it be Fitz?
—San Francisco Examiner.

Little Love Lou.—
Little love Lou, how your lashes glisten,
Your soft cheek flushes, your soft eyes fill
With dancing drops while the people listen
To hear your tenderly voiced "I will."
And how you glow when the golden fetter
Encircles your finger and makes us two
One for the worse and one for the better,
And one till death part us, my little love Lou!

Little love Lou, the great organ closes
The rite with a jubilant thunder song,
And down from the chancel and over the roses
They scatter before you we pass along.
A conquering prince with my laurels on me,
I feel as I traverse the aisle with you;
Oh, prouder than king of, the queen I've won me,
I lead out my little wife, little love Lou!
—London Daily Mail.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The long agitation in England against the cruelties of the royal hunt has resulted in the Queen commanding that a report on the subject be submitted to her. Her Majesty is disposed to abandon the buck-hounds altogether. In any case, it seems certain that the hunting of tame stags will be discontinued.

Photography is the fad of the Baroness Rothchild, in Paris, and an ideal studio and laboratory has been erected in the garden adjoining her palace in the Rue de Monceau. The two-story building occupies a large lot and has numerous rooms for photographic work in all its branches, a drawing-room, dressing-rooms, and every possible facility for making good pictures.

Miss Kate Greenway, who unpretendingly invented her own branch of art, lives in an old and picturesque house in London, provided with a roomy studio on the top floor. She went through a long course of study in the London art schools, and worked for years before her peculiar merits came out in a group of children, entitled, "Under the window." Her own explation of her success is that it is due to hard work and love of children.

Ignace Pelotte, who died on Mackinaw Island recently at the age of 93, was the last survivor of the American Fur company. He had an indistinct recollection of John Jacob Astor, the principal owner of the company and a memory of events of interest in the West during the first half of the century.

Prof. Karl Weierstrass, who recently died in Berlin, and was accounted one of the greatest mathematicians of the time, was, notwithstanding his fame, a man of great modesty. Noted mathematicians of other countries not seldom came to Berlin for the express purpose of discussing abstruse questions of science with him, and among his special admirers was the King of Sweden, who is an interested student of mathematics.

In his address on Pasteur before the French Academy, Gaston Paris, the new member, said that the scientist used often to leave the table in the middle of dinner and his bed at night in order to elaborate an idea that had been fermenting in his brain. Referring to Pasteur's rise from an humble place in a village drug store, M. Paris said that his audacity in the choice of subjects for investigation was extraordinary and that even in his youth he astonished his companions by his eagerness to soar beyond the limits of known science and by attacking problems which the greatest savants had not attempted to solve.

"Pastor Tom Spurgeon of the Metropolitan tabernacle," writes a correspondent of the London Daily News, "took his little son to witness the festivities at Spurgeon's orphanage. No doubt Master Spurgeon has a very happy home, but, when he saw the array of toys, Christmas trees and the general jollity in the institution which his grandfather founded, he looked up in his father's face and made the unfilial remark, 'Oh, don't I wish I was an orphan!' "

General Harrison was right; it was a mighty mean trick for a hand-organ man to stop before the house and play "Where Is My Wandering Boy Tonight?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

NOTES AND EXCERPTS.

Soon after street cars were put on in Atlanta a certain citizen made it a rule to get on a car with a $10 or $20 bill, and as the conductors in those days seldom had enough money to change such bills the enterprising citizen succeeded in getting a number of free rides. He was cured of this habit, however, by a conductor whom he had worried considerably. One day when he presented a $10 bill this conductor handed his passenger $10 in nickels, less four, which he took out for back debts.

St. Patrick's Church, Galway, Ireland, has been closed for the last thirty-five years. It is a magnificent structure of cut stone, and can seat 1,500 people. The apparent abandonment of it by the Catholics has always published tourists. The fact of it is, however, that the faithful could not gain admission to it because the plot of ground in front of it was owned by a bitter Protestant. He built a high wall directly in front of the chapel door and there it has stood till last week, when the persistent obstructor died. Now the bishop has bought the ground, and the flock will soon worship in their temple for the first time since 1862.

In a village near Boston reside two young men of a scientific turn of mind. They have been discussing whether a man weighs more after eating than before, and have decided that eating adds nothing to the weight, while drinking makes itself known in avoirdupois. Recently they weighed themselves just before going to dinner. Mr. Porter weighed 191 pounds and Mr. Whelden 165. They also weighed what they ate for dinner, and the experiment showed that the smaller man was the better feeder, for, according to the scales, he got away with three and a half pounds of eatables, while his companion's capacity was only two pounds. The men weighed themselves again directly after dinner, and both declare that their weight was not increased at all.

MONARCHIAL NAMES.

Some Trace of British Rule That May Be Found in Several States.

In one of the paragraphs of the Declaration of Independence the signers declare that "the patient sufferance of the American colonies" at last "constrains them to alter their former systems of government." Along with this alteration there was in many of the States, and more particularly in the New England States, a complete change of geographical designations consonant with the change from monarchical to republican government.

In most of the original States no trace was retained of the titles of royalty or aristocracy such as Congress endeavored to do away with in prohibiting the acceptance of any such title from "any king, prince, or foreign State." But notwithstanding this monarchical titles have survived in some of the original States—New York conspicuously among them. There are in New York, for instance, as everybody knows, a Kings County and a Queens County, both on Long Island; and there is, moreover, Dutchess (Duchess) County on the Hudson river line and Richmond County to the south. There is a Dukes County in Massachusetts, and in Virginia, the most populous of the original States at the time of the Declaration of Independence, there are a King George County, a King William County, a King and Queen County, a Prince Edward County, a Princess Anne County, York and Lancaster Counties and an Elizabeth City County. There are a Prince George's County and a Queen Anne's County in Maryland, and Pennsylvania has York and Lancaster Counties, but no nearer approach to monarchical names. In the extreme South and Southwest may be found King Counties (there was a Vice President named King), but no Kings County as in this vicinity. One of the largest of the counties of Washington State, the county which includes the City of Seattle, is King County, and one of the smallest of the counties of Texas, with a population of less than 200 by the last Federal census, is King County, too. But there is no Queen or Queens County in either State, and the same is true of California, which has, however, a Kings County, the other designations of geographical divisions being to a great extent Spanish. There is no King or Queen County in New Jersey, and no monarchical designations of counties in any of the New England States, with the one exception named in Massachusetts. But Dukes County, this exception, does not amount to much, consisting of some islands on the south of Buzzard's Bay and not on the mainland of New England. New York would appear to be the State in which there has been the closest adhesion to the names of royalty, for Kingston (King's town), incorporated in 1872, retained its original name without any change such as some towns make on reaching the dignity of chartered cities, and there is, moreover, a Kingsbury and a Queensbury, both north of Kingston, and a Georgetown, and there was, up to a few years ago, Kingsbridge in what is now the northern district of New York, and there is still Kings highway to the south of Brooklyn and another in Richmond County. In the Western States there are no monarchical designations, and generally speaking the achievements of patriotic Americans are more generally perpetuated than is the case in the original States.—New York Sun.

Professor Willis L. Moore, in a recent lecture, cited statistics to show what a great effect the weather conditions have on crime. There is a larger proportion of crime in the hot months than in the very cold ones, although there is much more inducement for crime in the winter. From the records compiled by a Weather Bureau official a few years ago, it was found that, while there were 1,600 suicides and 2,500 murders during the three warmest months of the year, there were but 1,200 suicides and 1,700 murders during the three coldest months.

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THE PLAYS OF THE WEEK.

"Shore Acres" Will Be Seen at the Macdonough Tomorrow.

"A Nutmeg Match" Will Be the Card at the Oakland Theater.

James A. Herne will appear at the Macdonough Theater tomorrow and Wednesday evening in his successful play, "Shore Acres."

It happens all too rarely that the theater-goer is afforded an opportunity of witnessing so good a play as "Shore Acres." This charming play of New England life is the outcome of years of thought and labor, and not until its author, James A. Herne, had spent nearly a year of his life in daily intercourse with the characters he had drawn, did he think the drama suitable for production. Much that is in the play is founded upon fact and the dramatis personae have their living prototypes. Mr. Herne has devoted over thirty years of his life to the study of character and his sketches always bear the impress of truth. It is an unusual thing for an actor to write so good a play as "Shore Acres," and Mr. Herne cannot be too warmly commended for giving to the English-speaking stage a work of such intrinsic merit. Arrangements have been made for a fine scenic production of this play at the Macdonough.

THE OAKLAND.

The comedy season at the Oakland Theater has proved very successful and Lottie Williams and Ed. J. Heron have established themselves in public favor. They inaugurate their second week tonight in Haworth's "A Nutmeg Match." It is a New England comedy drama with scenes laid in rural Connecticut and consequently deals with home-spun characters such as seen in "Old Homestead. There is a tinge of sensationalism in its action through an attempted murder by means of a ponderous pile driver in full action and the humor which predominates, emanates from characters that are true to life. Lottie Williams will be seen in her favorite role, Cinders, in which Annie Lewis appeared here last. Ed Heron is acknowledged the most artistic and humorous Brick that has ever essayed the role. This is the first time this piece has ever been given at these prices as it was among the high-priced attractions seen here last season. A number of pleasing musical specialties will be introduced during the action and another big weeks' business should result.

THEY CARRIED HOES.

Deaf, Dumb and Blind Pupils Send Kind Words to McKinley.

The following description of a very pretty incident is told in last Saturday's California News, the paper issued by the Berkeley Blind Home:

On March 4th those of the pupils who are admirers of our new President got up an impromptu procession to show their delight over Mr. McKinley's inauguration. Next day one of them prepared the following letter and mailed it to President McKinley:

"Inst. for the Deaf and Blind, Berkeley, Cal., March 5, 1897. President McKinley—Honored Sir: We, the pupils of the California Institution for the Deaf and the Blind, wish to send you our congratulations and tell you how glad we are that you have become President of our country.

"To show our joy, on inauguration day, we had a procession. We did not have many flags, but we were all armed with brooms, hoes and such things as we use in our work, to show that we think this term will be a prosperous one.

"With our most hearty congratulations, we remain. Yours respectfully,

"PUPILS OF THE INSTITUTION."

This week a reply came in the following shape:

"Executive Mansion, Washington, March 11, 1897. The Pupils of the Institution for the Deaf and Blind, Berkeley, California—Gentlemen: The President directs me to convey his grateful appreciation of your recent congratulations. Very truly yours,

"JOHN ADDISON PORTER,
"Secretary to the President."

Y. M. C. A. COMMITTES.

The following committees have been appointed by the Young Men's Christian Association to serve for the ensuing year:

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TWENTY MILLION TONS.

Works at Corral Hollow Are Completed and Ready for Mining.

An influential party of San Francisco and Oakland capitalists visited the Corral Hollow mines yesterday and inspected the works.

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The reception bunkers are complete and the hoisting machinery works like a watch. The tramway leading to the bunkers is in thorough working order and is operated by an endless cable system.

The feature of the operation which attracted the immediate attention of the mining men was the hoisting cage. It raises three cars at a time and works with almost automatic precision, transferring them from the shaft to the surface track. There they are immediately caught by the tramway cable, which carries them 650 feet below to the bunkers. Here the coal is dumped and screened. Even the dumping is done automatically and the return trip is made in the same regular way. This system and the many devices it represents is the work of John Treadwell, the general manager and part owner of the enterprise. The capacity of each car is one and one-quarter tons.

The coal veins have been prospected for a distance of five miles and to a depth of 600 feet. The visitors all agreed that the half had not been told them and were free in their expressions of surprise at the sights they beheld.

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Now that the examination of Cecil Rhodes has been closed, the Londoners feel at liberty to say that he was the moving spirit in all the machinations against the Boers. It is thought, however, that the matter will not be carried any further by Parliament. In the meantime it is announced that Joseph Chamberlain has notified President Kruger that the alien act, which is in operation in the republic, is in contravention of the London Convention of 1884.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 1897.

Rachel and Gustavus Cohn; Bertha and John Simon to J. M. Davis. E Webster st 906 N 14th st N 81 x E 150 subj to two mortgages one for $2,000 and one for $260; $10.

J. A. and Jennie A. Green to Wm. Meins, W 5th st 100 N Allston st N 47 x W 125, being lot 11 blk 107, tract B, Bkly L. and T. I. Assn; $10.

Geo. H. Bartlett and Chas. Laumeister, assignee of George H. Bartlett (insolvent), by comr, to Alice Brown, lots 24 and 26 sub map of lots 1 to 4, Peralta Park, $1,708.

Patrick and Susana Prunty to Thos. Bedard, lots 17 and 18, blk 66 town of Niles; $150.

Jos. and Hannah Palmbaum to Luther M. Williamson, W Union st 132-6 N 26th st N 52 x W 115, being ptn lots 13 and 14 blk S, map of survey of Northern Extn to Okd; $10.

Jas. McCaughey to Edward McCaughey, N 14th st 152-6 W Willow st W 50 x N 100 being lots 8 and 9 blk F, resub of blks C and F. Garden tract Hd; $10.

Marie J. and Lilia Touchard to Mary Davis, NE Railroad av and Chestnut st E 35 x N 100 blk 538; $10.

Jas. G. and Julia T. Durrell to Mary L. Bryan, N B st 108 E Louise st E 50 x N 100 being lots E and F blk 800, map of B st sub Watts tract; $10.

Lena Weinmann to Conrad Weinmann, NE Hawthorne and Telegraph ave N 50 x E 125, being lot 14 Buena Vista Hd; $10.

Clara B. and Jas. M. Taylor to Inter Nos B. & L. Assn., W Spruce st 150 S Prospect av S 50 x W 206, being lot 19 Plot No. 17, amended map Lake View; $3,250.

Inter Nos B. & L. Assn. to Samuel and Isabella Fitzsimmons, same; $10.

Persis G. Taylor to D. C. Taylor, lot 185 in plot 1 Mountain View Cemetery; $60.

Louis T. and Gussie L. Crans to Felix Marcuse, W St. Charles st 111 N Central av N 37 x W 97-2, QCD; $10.

Henry F. Weston to E. J. Ismert and Geo. W. Mack, .34 of an acre beg at a point in county road Irvington to Centerville on NE line survey No. 15 ex-Mission San Jose lands at a corner common to tract hereby described and lands of Mack, th NE 224 ft NW 75.5 SW 269.6 ft SE 80 ft to beg; $10.

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It is told of an old Baptist parson famous in Virginia that he once visited a plantation where the colored servant who met him at the gates asked which barn he would have his horse put in. "Have you two barns?" asked the doctor. "Yes, sah," replied the servant; "dar's de ole barn, and Mas'r Wales has jes' built a new one." "Where do you usually put the horses of clergymen who come to see your master?" "Well, sah, if dey's Methodist or Baptist we gen'ally puts 'em in de ole barn, but if dey's 'Piscopals we puts 'em in de new one." "Well, Bob, you can put my horse in the new barn; I'm a Baptist, but my horse is an Episcopalian."

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APPEARANCE OF BOOTH-TUCKER

Dr. Coyle Speaks in the First Presbyterian Church.

DR. SMALL AND DHARMAPALA.

Discourse of Dr. Bushnell at the First Lutheran Church.

The Salvation Army gala day terminated last evening in a monster meeting at the First Presbyterian Church, where Commander Booth-Tucker appeared and spoke for an hour and a half.

By 7 o'clock the church was filled and when the opening hymn was sung at 7:30 there was not a vacant seat in the church.

A large street parade participated in by a couple of hundred Salvationists, under Major McIntyre and Staff Captain Merriweather, was held before the services.

Commander Booth-Tucker did not arrive till 8 o'clock, and during the time they were waiting for his arrival the congregation sang hymns and the Army band played Salvation tunes. Ensign Wise, auxiliary secretary for the coast, also sang a solo.

SOLDIERS SHOUTED.

When the commander entered the church the soldiers shouted amen. The commander first announced the singing of a hymn from the War Cry, and explained that he owed his conversion to that journal. He stated that while others had their various kinds of "ology," the Salvationists had the "clapology," and he asked those who could not sing with their mouths to sing with their hands. At the conclusion of the first verse he said they were all right, as he had told Dr. Coyle to pull his coat tail if they became too noisy or obstreperous, a thing Dr. Coyle had failed to do. He again asked the members of the congregation to clap if they could not sing. During the first two verses Dr. Coyle merely sang, but in the third verse he joined in the clapping. Dr. Coyle then led in prayer and Captains Ross and Spurgeon sang a duet, after which Dr. Coyle formally introduced the commander.

COMMANDER BOOTH.

Commander Booth-Tucker said he had been introduced "from New York." He asserted that he felt more like being introduced as from Oakland or San Francisco. His address, he said, was on the cars, any place between San Francisco and New York.

"There are 90,000 conversions," said he, "per annum in the Salvation Army—a fact to shout hallelujah over. Some people wish we were back to the day of Pentecost; we are having a perpetual day of Pentecost. If Peter and Paul were here they would shout hallelujah.

"I would like to get a cap that would fit everybody. My little girl wrote me an autograph letter the other day in which she said she would like to be under Papa's cap, wishing to express her desire to be with me. So I wish I had a cap that would fit every one here. Far be it for me to presume or take it for granted that every one here is not enjoying the beautiful and blessed experience of being with Christ, but I wish I could give you each a cup of His love and say 'drink ye all of this in remembrance of Him.' I will read from the 21st chapter of St. John: 'After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples.' Oh, blessed Jesus, show thyself again in this assemblage! His presence is a blessed, glorious fact. If you can see Jesus through the eyes of the Salvation Army, look. If not, look the other way. I have often been asked what the attraction of the Salvation Army was. The only one attraction, the only power, the only secret of the success of the Salvation Army is that we are simply a piece of common wood on which can be seen the Lord Jesus Christ.

AN APPEAL.

"O, brother, O, sister, only be a living monument on which Jesus Christ can be lifted up. If you are not there is something the matter with your religion. The disciples had been told that Christ had risen. They went out to search for him. When they got to Galilee no one had seen him. It was the same in Nazareth. Everybody knew he was dead. The people didn't believe he had risen and they asked the disciples why they did not remain at home and continue their fishing so that they could support their families and relations, and not wander off after the so-called prophet. Simon Peter seems to have given way to their persuasions, and said he would go back to the sea. He was followed by the others. His influence was powerful and so is yours. There are many Peters in this building. If you lead either in the right way or the wrong way there will be many to follow you. Fathers and mothers, if you say to your children that you will go off fishing in the mud puddles of the world, you must not complain if they follow you. Husbands, if you say to your wives that you will go off fishing in the world's mud puddles, it will be your fault if they do the same.

PETER.

"Peter and the others got their heads together and said they would go back to the sea. They thought if they did it on the Q. T. it would be all right. If they left at night, perhaps no one would be the wiser. If Jesus turned up it would be all right, for no one would know about it, and if Jesus didn't turn up they would be that much ahead. So they went and used every means in their power to attract the fish, but all to no avail. They had forgotten that Jesus had said, 'I will make you a fisher of men.' They toiled all night long, but they caught nothing. How many of you have fished in the waters of youth, in the waters of manhood and womanhood, in the waters of middle age, in the waters of old age, and must after all go to your God single handed? What have you caught by all your fishing? Ask yourself. Have you caught the fish of pardon? Many of you will say yes, glory be to God, if I've caught nothing else, I've caught the fish of pardon. But that is not all that is required of you.

"There are two kinds of rich men. One is rich and the other would like to be. It is as bad to covet riches as it is to be rich. There are people with this love of riches, like a canker eating into their souls. There are those who are rich and yet who see the heathen damned and the poor naked and starving without one conscientious scruple, and yet professing to be followers of Christ. The spirit of covetousness is the spirit of this age and the Christians of today are leading the race. Have you caught the fish of pureness of heart? Can you say, 'Hallelujah, I am after the almighty dollar of the skies; I'm after the gold of heaven?'"

The speaker continued to warn the congregation that it was expected to save souls and that it had further duties than paying the pew rent and the minister's salary. He then exhorted his hearers to give their lives to Christ and two answered by kneeling before the pulpit.

GREATER THINGS.

The Subject of Rev. Dr. Coyle at the First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Dr. Coyle, at the First Presbyterian Church spoke yesterday morning on "Greater Things Than These." His text was taken from John 1:50, 51. "Jesus answered and said unto him, 'because I said unto thee, I saw thee under the fig tree, believest thou? thou shalt see greater things than these.'

"And he said unto him, 'Verily, verily, I say unto you, Hereafter ye shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the son of man.'"

"Christianity," he said, "has no final page. No matter, however learned, however masterful in this scholarship, will they ever be able to write 'The End,' after the Christian religion and close the book as one whose task is done. It is a work always 'to be continued in our next,' going on and on from chapter to chapter and from volume to volume. After nineteen centuries of growth and development and conquest, Christianity is still in the grey twilight of its history and more light is yet to break from it and accompany its course down the future than that the most adventurous thinker has ever dared to imagine.

"Herein we see the optimistic nature of Christianity. As its programme unfolds and moves from part to part, there is constant improvement, no drooping down, no dull places, no patches of desert, but always better and better. No matter how much we may be entranced with certain portions of it; no matter how many mounts of transfiguration we may come to; no matter how much we may enjoy them and want to stay there and drink in their glory, the word is, 'Look ahead. This is good; this is splendid, but it is better farther on. Thou shalt see greater things than these.' And so Christianity inspires hope and bids men keep their heads up and their hearts young. Let us take up two or three points for special consideration.

THE BIBLE.

"Begin with the Bible, Christianity's book. In literature it stands alone in its solitary grandeur, unapproached and unapproachable. Whether we consider its authorship, its style, or its subject matter, it must be put in a class by itself. In no other book are these depths so profound or heights so dazzling. If a man likes poetry he can find it here, or philosophy he can find it here, or proverbs he can find them here, or plain precepts for daily life, he can find them here. There is not a note in the gamut of human experience which this book does not strike; there is not a need of civilization which has not anticipated.

"I do not deny that there are things in which puzzle and perplex, mysteries which are the despair of scholarship and which refuse to give up their secrets at the bidding of human learning.

"But I am glad of it. No matter how deep a merely human book may be, its bottom is sure to be reached by and by. No uninspired man can push his thoughts so far, but that some other man can follow him. But where is the thinker that has ever got any where near to the bottom of the word of God? Name him. In what university is he a professor? What so called liberal, pulpit does he scintillate in scattering brilliants for golden truth and leaving the darkness more dense when he gets done? The bottom of this book is never reached. It is forever yielding up new treasures from its inexhaustless mines, because it came, as the book of nature did, from the mind of the unfathomable God. To be sure, there are men like Lyman Abbott, away yonder on the Atlantic coast, and they have some feeble echoes on the Pacific Coast, who amuse themselves and get into print and entertain audiences with itching ears by growing humorous over Jonah and the whale and trying to show that the Bible is no more miraculous than any other book. If they could only do something original there might be some merit in it, but to busy themselves threshing out such old straw as that seems like a very foolish expenditure of energy.

"The supernatural runs through this book from first to last. Its authors wrote as they were moved by the Holy Ghost. What it reveals of God, of man, of sin, of attonement, of immortality, is as far above the possibilities of finite thought as Mt. Shasta is above the pebble at its base, "But thou shalt see greater things than these." From the book we shall pass to the spirit, from inspiration to the Inspirer, from the great lessons to the greater teacher, from reading the chart to beholding the face of the Lord Jesus himself in that harbor where storms never break.

"What is true of the Bible is true also of Christian doctrine. Our creeds as they stand today are splendid. They are the crystallized results of ages of intense study and profound thinking. They have come out of the fire of prolonged intellectual conflict with much of the dross of error purged away. They are master pieces of analysis and generalization, and those who laugh at them only show on what very shallow water their little boats sail.

"What then? Are these creeds perfect? Is there nothing to be sifted out of them, nothing to be pruned away, nothing for the critic to work upon? Has the last word of the last page been written? Who believes it? Theology is not a finished science any more than astronomy is.

"We shall have better definitions of God, better explanations of the trinity, better statements of the atonement, better interpretations of the cross, more thorough elucidation of the work of the spirit.

"If Christian doctrine has had a great past it will have a greater future and the teachers who are to come will get much nearer to the heart of things than did the teachers who are gone. Thus Christianity inspires study and encourages the student to look ahead, saying to him with every step of progress 'thou shalt do greater things than these.'

"The thought applies with special force and sweetness to Christian experience. Most of us, as followers of Christ have had some blessed experiences already. We look back upon them as green spots in our history. There have been times of flood tide, when our cup was full, when, like Jacob at Bethel, we saw the heavens open and the angels of God ascending and descending and the very atmosphere around us seemed to throb and vibrate with the spiritual. But 'thou shalt see greater things than these.' Richer experiences, wider horizons, deeper satisfactions, than you have ever dreamed of are yet to be yours. It is good to be a young Christian, but it is a hundred-fold better to be a Christian of many years standing, even as the ripe scholar enjoys vastly more than the raw student who is just beginning."

MOTTO OF FAITH.

The Subject Discussed at the First English Lutheran Church.

Speaking on the text, "He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not with me scattereth," Dr. Bushnell said:

"Every man has some sort of faith, and it must either be false or true. There is no neutral ground. This way the meaning of Christ when he answered those who charged that he was casting out devils by the power of the devils. He reduced the argument of the blasphemous Pharisees to an absurdity, by showing that the devil would be a fool to fight against himself. Every kingdom divided against itself brought to desolation; and a house divided against a house falleth.

Truth and error cannot agree together. Jesus understood and applied the primary laws of thought in this reply. The same laws applies where he reproved his disciples when they forbade a man from casting out devils because he followed not with them. The law of contradition teaches us that nothing can both be and not be. There is no middle ground. Everything must either be for or against the truth in a moral issue.

"We need to observe, however, that truth is just as true when held by a publican as by a Pharisee, by a Buddhist as by a Christian, by a Romanist as by a Protestant. He that is not against the truth is for it regardless of schools and sects.

"The counter statement also holds good. 'He that is not with me is against me.' Judas may be in league with the open enemies of Christ. People in the external profession of the church may be less loyal to Christ than some who are not of His fold. Thus we must distinguish between the true and the false with great prudence, being as wise as a serpent and harmless as a dove.

"Thousands and millions may not know and confess the truth according to our forms and usages and yet they may cherish a sincere and heartfelt respect for the same gospel.

"Since all truth is essentially one, those who love it must have a necessary fellowship and love for each other in the truth. Party lines and personal prejudices must not blind us as we distinguish the true from the false.

"There is an ebb and flow in the great flood-tides of faith. Whoever believes in Christ will be saved through faith without merit or worth, because Christ remains true even while we may be false in our bearings. He is the polar star. Our goodness is a strange mixture of light and darkness. If we examine ourselves in the light of God's truth we find sin and death within us from which we can in no wise set ourselves free. This sense of sinfulness is realized in the fellowship of Christ and not outside of it. One loving look from Jesus restored the spiritual balance for Peter. We all need the same look of love. Men will not believe this until they are brought to a saving knowledge of the truth.

"The question then arises in the mind of a believer, how can I answer those who doubt the truth and power of the gospel. The answer is found in simply living the life of faith. As the heathen poet, Horace says: "If you wish me to weep, you must first weep yourself. (Si vis me flere dolendum est primum ipsi tibe.) This was the way Diogenes answered the Sophist who argued that there was no such thing as motion. Diogenes simply got up and walked around his tub. The daily walk and conversation of a Christian is a fair test of the differences between Christ and the devil. The life blood of the church is registered in the rythmic beating of its spiritual pulse. Though feeling and force of character are expressed as we stand for or against the truth. Thus the witnessing world notes the pulse of the Christ life, and the unbelievers who want to get at the facts discovers the signs of health and sickness on the tongue of the believers who confess their faith.

"This is not a dogma or a creed to be rejected or accepted according to personal pleasure and prejudice. Truth is revealed in the person of Christ that it may be also incarnated in us. This gospel is something to live in and live by. We must be for or against Christ. He that is not with me is against me; and he that gathereth not scattereth."

UNION SERVICE.

Scandinavian Preachers Talk on Several Religious Subjects.

A union service was held yesterday afternoon by the Scandanavian Methodist Episcopal preachers conference in the Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church on Thirteenth and Market streets. The church was tastefully decorated with smilax and green branches in honor of the visiting ministers. On the platform were seated Revs. Larsen, Brattstorm, Petersen, Wahlberg, Gustafson and Nelson.

Selections were rendered by a male quartette. Rev. Gustafson preached the sermon of the afternoon, choosing for his text, Rom. 14:7, as appropriate to a union service.

"The test of a great nature," he said, "is to offer one's life for another. And yet it is far nobler to live for another than to die for him. Christ both lived and died for us. He lives and prays for us yet.

"There is a two-fold death for man—the sinful man must first die, and then we can live a new life.

"Nothing lives alone. From the atom to the greatest work of creation, nothing in nature exists through itself or for itself. We are mutually dependent. We are not alone, and we cannot live alone.

"Every man is an example for somebody else. We are responsible for the influence we exert over others. We cannot live for ourselves and our influence must go out to others. We owe our fellow men all our service, all our love.

"We live for the coming generation. Let us lay a foundation of rock for them to build upon.

"We live for Christ. 'Christ is my life,' says the apostle."

ATHLETICS.

Subject Discussed by the Rev. Dr. Philip Graif Yesterday.

Last evening at the Twenty-first Street Free Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, preached on "St. Paul and Athletics," and among other terse and pregnant things about sturdy types of Christianity, he said:

"Paul's genius was of the virile kind, not of the limp, elegant, lavender order. In his epistles there are no dainty airs as of a prophet of the kid glove persuasion, or of an apostle of culture holding himself severely aloof from the common herd, but his thoughts and illustrations easily drop into terms of the camp or the arena. Though he knew the exquisite sky and art of Athens and Corinth, neither the Parthenon nor the sculptured Pallas Athene, neither the violet Aegean nor the snow crowned Parnassus gave him thrill enough to give us, in all his writings, the least hint of an esthetic sketch or a piece of scenic word painting. He was in spirit and temperament a born athlete of the highest type. He may have responded to the delicate touch of art forms, but campaign voices, and the shouts and tension of the stadium, were more to his liking. Others might play the role of the soft dilettante sampling the beauties of nature or art, but he, the man of iron resolve and invincible purpose, found the atmosphere more congenial where hosts were contending with flash of spear and rattle of armor, or where the ground trembled with the plunge and fury of the chariot race. His crisp, sinewy figures of speech, touching foot or chariot race, boxing match or gladiatorial fights, with wild beasts, seem to indicate a first hand knowledge of the rules governing the contest, the severe processes of training required, the brilliant, motley covered spectacle of the Isthmian games and the exciting goal with its prize of a parsley wreath or a garland of green pine leaves.

SPIRIT OF CHRISTIANITY.

"The fact is, the very pith and genius of Christianity is a spirit of grit, aggressiveness and athletic persistency. Whether wrestling with flesh and blood adversaries or raiding with pagan or worldly ideals, its nerve has never flinched or its lofty march ceased in its progress and triumphs. What we want nowadays is less folk of flimsy, nebulous fibre, less loose jointed, weak backed believers, and more out and out champions of a trenchant positiveness of being and doing. Not the boxer with thin, flabby muscles or the racer with untrained, fear smitten legs will win a bout or break a record.

RELIGION TIMID.

"In eras of great refinement and culture, religion is apt to become timid, cloistered and apologetic. Pentecosts are but sham fervor unless they lead to fine audacities of faith and gospel conquests in the unlikeliest quarters. We have ideas enough, but too little dynamic, outgoing enterprise. The peril of a refined, intellectual age is to philosophize too much, and work too little. Goethe did not shoot wide of the mark when he said that the end of perfection, whether of mind or morals, is not so much thought as action. An intrepid, sanctified will, rather than keen, pure intellect, is the basis of true character, just as excess of physical exercise robs the power to think of its choicest effervescence, so the undue devotement to mental culture tends to undermine or weaken the strength of moral conviction. Plainly and often enough has the muse of history shown that miracles of invention or glory of achievement, illustrious sainthood or flashes of literary genius belong not so much to subtlety of brain power or superb radiance of imagination as to the dogged persistency and imperial reach of the will.

MATTER OF DISCIPLINE.

"A well disciplined character is better than a shrewd intellect. What we are, not what we say, inspires confidence. Simply to revel in noble thoughts and exquisite sentiments, without turning the fine emotions into conduct, is to cultivate habits and tastes that lead to effeminacy and corruption. Whatever rouses, challenges and drains the will, and bids us to overcome obstacles, try steep, narrow paths and scale heights almost inaccessible, is vastly better than the soft ways of an idle, aimless, easy going Christianity.

DEVOTION.

"Excellence demands nothing less than eager, lifelong devotion and indefatigable painstaking lies at the root of all greatness of whatever kind. Perseverance conquers—it is the stout hearted stayer that at last overmatches all comers and wears the crown of laurel, [illegible] the instruments of conflict brain or brawn, matter or spirit. To breed a race of spiritual athletes is the end for which mankind exists. Christianity is [illegible] universal philosophy embracing in its scope God, nature and man, and if allowed free educational play grows men and women of an almost ideal loveliness and sanctity. Sparta produced the soldier of perfect mold and Athens the paragon of culture, but Hellenism, touched with no sense of sin, not at all acquainted with the high, austere beauty of holiness, lacked moral heartiness, and with all its art, style, logic, philosophy and eloquence, ignominiously failed to see the supreme importance of conduct and character. But Christianity makes the ethical ideal paramount, and puts its chief emphasis on the achievement of a robust moral beauty known as Christ-likeness. Yes, not higher place or finer house, but worthier self-hood, is the goal of an athletic ambition that is subdued to the spirit of the divine Nazarene.

"In his many athletic allusions, Paul illustrates the sturdy and invincible aspects of Christianity as over against a nice aloofness from practical life or a dreamland of reverie, away from the world's hot fray and strife. Like an alert boxer or lithe, agile racer or vigorous fighter for truth and right, mingle in the rush and heat of the moral contest. If the crowd's applause, with its notorious passion for noise and show, does not ring in your ear, strive you ever so manfully, remember that to win the unfading crown of righteousness is a higher thing than any breath of earthly fame. Shouts and bouquets may hail the victor of the prize ring or the clever winner of the race track, because the vulgar throng appreciates, as a rule, only what lies along the lower levels of thought or work, but God and the nobler ranks of humanity give their garlands, fair and immortal, to the sage in his resolute climb to the heights of truth, or to the saint in his sturdy, lifelong effort to subdue sin and self, and realize as far as possible the ideals of perfection. In short, to incarnate Paul's conception of a true Christian life is to develop and perfect a holiness and beauty of the eager, resolute, wide awake, athletic type."

ANGLICAN AND ROMAN.

The Subject of Rev. Dr. Robert Ritchie at St. Paul's Church.

At St. Paul's Episcopal Church last night Rev. Dr. Ritchie remarked that, having attempted in his two last lectures to show the likeness and then the unlikeness between the Anglican and Roman Churches, a point had been reached where the reasons for both could be discussed. They were principly historical. When that great religious upheaval which men call the Reformation was doing its characteristic work in Europe, a contemporaneous movement was observable in England. There was much in common between these two movements, but history shows that both in the principles followed and in the results produced there were radical differences. The one might be very properly termed a revolution and the other a real reformation. The one was distinctively radical in method, the other as distinctly conservative. The Continental Reformation aimed to do away with the past; the English to keep all that was good in it. As the principles differed, of course the results differed. On the Continent, there was disintegration with a deliberate abandonment of the old order of ministry, the liturgy and ritual. New customs and strange forms ecclesiastical were introduced, and a Babel of voices succeeded the one voice of the old church. The new born Protestant religion started out to make history as a new thing. That was its boast. It broke with the past. It was, moreove, a distinctly popular movement. As history, however, shows, this was not so in England. There the movement did not originate with the people, but with the higher clergy. While on the Continent, none of the higher ecclesiastics took part, in England the Bishops were the prime originators. This fact was bound to influence both the principles and the results, and it did. The principles, therefore, which guided England's reformers were simply these—to get back to the original constitution of the church and to retain whatever was true, good and useful in the old religion and necessary to the existence of the church. The mere fact, for instance, that Roman Catholic precedent could be quoted in support of any doctrine or usage, was not held to be a good reason for abandoning it; provided, that it could be shown that this doctrine or usage had the support of all Christian antiquity.

Hence the English reformers retained the succession of the ancient ministry the backbone of the church for 1,500 years—and they had it today, name and thing. So, they retained the liturgy, not translating it, as many supposed, from the Roman missal and breviary, but taking it from the same ancient sources that the breviary and missal come from. So, with the old creeds, the ritual, the great feasts and fasts of the ecclesiastical year. All that the Church of England did, was to cut away from these things the parasitic growths that encumbered them and let them stand. In brief, the preacher said, to borrow an illustration, the English Reformation was a cleansing of the old family silver, not a melting of it to be cast into other and unfamiliar forms. And on just these same principles the English Church repudiated the Papal supremacy, declaring in both church convocation and secular Parliament, that the Pope of Rome "hath no more authority in this realm than any other foreign potentate." So with the doctrine of transubstantiation; indulgencies, the mass traffic, the denial of the cup and the tribunal of penance. She repudiated all of these things, not only on the ground of their unscripturalness, but of their novelty. And so, the preacher said, it must be plain that, both in what they retained and in what they rejected, there was a radical difference between the Continental and English Reformations. The effort in England was to restore the church as nearly as might be to what it had been before the days of Papal usurpation and to get back to the original constitution. The effort on the Continent was to start afresh with an entirely new constitution. It was because these plain facts were misapprehended and misconstrued that there was so much confusion in men's minds today. And then, in conclusion, the preacher said he was anxious to call his hearers' attention to a common abuse of a grand old word—the word "Catholic." He wanted them to understand that the attempt made in England was to get back to what was "Catholic" in the past in contradistinction to what was plainly modern and "Roman." He wanted them to appreciate that their communion stood today for what was "Catholic" in Christianity—that is, "universal" and "ancient." That was the reason why, in these lectures, while intending no discourtesy, he could not conscientiously surrender this word to the exclusive use of Romanists. To call, for instance, the modern Roman doctrine of Papal infallibility a "Catholic" doctrine was monstrous, since it was to read all history wrong. This was a modern doctrine, never heard of as a doctrine accepted by the church, prior to the Vatican Council of 1870. Don't say, the preacher added, that you believe in the Holy Catholic Church in your creed and then give the lie to your words by applying that title to the Latin, Papal or Roman Church. The apostles who drew up one of our creeds and the Fathers at Nice and Constantinople who drew up the other knew nothing about any supreme and infallible Pontiff claiming to be the sole Vicar of Christ on earth! A "Roman Catholic" was one kind of a Catholic—but there were other kinds.

DHARMAPALA'S VIEWS.

Strong Reply to the Buddhist by the Rev. Dr. Small.

Rev. James Small, pastor of the First Christian Church of Oakland, took occasion in his sermon yesterday morning to refer to the address of the Buddhist priest Dharmapala before the Philosophical Union at the State University on Friday evening last. He said: "From the address of the priest and the questions of Prof. Howison, one can readily see that Buddhism can never become the universal religion of our race.

"There are five fatal objections to Dharmapala's fragmentary and impotent gospel:

"He denies a living personal God. He believes in 'Lords many and Gods many.' He believes just what the devil preached to our first parents in Eden. 'And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die, for God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.' Dharmapala says we are all gods and all therefore divine. This was Satan's gospel in the beginning and it is Dharmapala's today. If Dharmapala does not believe in a personal God he does not believe in any; for it is unthinkable to believe in mind and thought and plan and intelligence apart from personality.

"Buddha's gospel expounded by Dharmapala leaves man to his own resources. True enough he urges man to overcome and suppress the evil that torments him, but this is an impossible task, as those who have tried to wrestle with sin and weakness know. The utmost achievement of men, without Christ's help, is to cry with Paul, 'O wretched man that I am! Who shall deliver me?'

"The deliverance Buddha offers, even if it were posible, is slow, difficult and distant. Dharmapala said in reply to a question of Prof. Howison: 'The Nirvana condition has never been reached. What the Nirvana condition is, only he who has annihilated passion, who has annihilated lust, who has annihilated ignorance, he can only know what Nirvana is.'

"Buddha makes even that distant deliverance so indefinite that Dharmapala and the learned themselves hold the most contradictory opinions about the final goal Nirvana. It is quite uncertain according to the Buddhist priest, whether Nirvana does or does not mean the extinction of separate individuality.

"Buddha taints his gospel with selfishness, although the priest would ask us to believe differently.

"For even the wonderful humanity and brotherliness of Buddhism aims mainly at personal advantage in the extinction of the Frishna.

"Now permit me to place over against these five defects the five great blessings of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

"In the first place Christianity proclaims that a personal Creator is the source and author of all things that are made. And Jesus revealed this being, who can hold the water in the hollow of his hand. Who has meted out heaven with a span, comprehended the dust of the earth in a measure, weighs the mountains in scales and the hills in a balance, as a father whose eyes are over the righteous and whose ears are open unto their cry.

"In the next place, Christianity, through the incarnation, offers us life and strength in Christ. God gave us eternal life and this life is in his son.

"The power we need is a free gift, not the doubtful result of fierce struggling. It represents the new life of a regenerated nature in the springtime. It is the new life that pushes off the dead leaves of the forest trees.

"Abiding in Christ, as the branches abide in the vine, we receive 'of his fullness.' (John 1:16.) Hence we are saved from self assertion not by our own efforts, which are smitten with an incurable spiritual impotence, but by the very life of Christ, so far and so long as we abide in him.

"Again, Christ died on the cross, 'once for all.' (Rom. 6:10.) We may therefore reckon ourselves even so, once for all dead unto sin—unto, as Dharmapala would say, Trishna. Jesus Christ offers us an instantaneous deliverance from the great curse of self-will. We need not live to the flesh, or be guilty of unbrotherly or unfilial conduct to any one. 'Sin shall not have dominion over us.'

"Our baptism represents this death to sin and resurrection to a new life. Hear Paul: "What shall we say to these? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound?"

"God forbid. How shall we that are dead to sin, live any longer therein? Know ye not, that so many of us that were baptized into Jesus Christ were baptized into his death?

"Therefore we are buried with Him by baptism into death: that like as Christ was raised up from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. (Rom. vi:1-4.)

"What then is the great difference in the two states? Not perfect holiness in regeneration, nor utter wickedness in man's unregenerate condition. But sin reigned in him, ruled over him, controlled him, disposed of him, in his unregenerate state, so that he was alienated from the life of God. But in the Christian, grace reigns through righteousness to his regenerate state. Hence, says Paul: 'Let not sin reign in your mortal body that ye should obey it in the lusts thereof (Rom. vi:12).

"But again, what Christ offers is not a vague and unintelligible Nirvana. The gospel does not propose to annihilate self when it seeks to annihilate self will. Who were to get rid of disease by getting rid of life itself. In Christianity the Trishna (sin) goes, but the ego remains. You are never more truly 'yourself' than when 'your life is hid with Christ in God.' (Col. iii:3).

"Lastly, Christianity is contrasted with the fifth defect in this gospel of Buddha by the fact that it is free from the least taint of selfishness. Christianity prompts us to lead a human and benevolent life, not to escape from life, but for its own sake. Because the life of faith and hope and love is the most blessed life. Because a human and benevolent life is in itself blessed forever.

"For these reasons, as well as for others, there is no comparison between Buddhism and Christianity. Buddha pointed out the disease. Let him have credit for that. But he could do no more. He found no remedy.

"Christ and Christ alone
'Can minister to a mind diseased;
Pluck from the memory a rooted sorrow;
Raze out the written troubles of the brain;
And, with some sweet oblivious antidote,
Cleanse the stuffed bosom of that perilous stuff
Which weighs upon the heart.'

"I conclude that Christianity must triumph, for the world needs it. The forces working for it insure its success, and the promises of the Christ and our Heavenly Father insures its success. To question the triumph is to question the wisdom of God and the promises of its author."

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THE COUNTY BURGS.

A Record of Events in the Thriving Suburbs of Oakland.

HAYWARDS IS ON THE MOVE.

Livermore Keeping Up in the Rapid March of Improvement.

MANY PEOPLE COME AND GO.

Indications That the Coming Season Will Be One of Activity.

The principal events in the county during the past week are detailed below:

Haywards.

(From the Haywards Review.)

At Wednesday's meeting of the Board of Trustees all members were present. Trustee Peterson reported from the Street and Building Committee that a consultation had been had with Town Engineer Russell concerning the grade of upper B street, and after some discussion by the Board it was decided to ask Mr. Russell to be present at the next meeting and to furnish what figures and other data he has concerning the street. Superintendent of Streets Linekin made a verbal report showing what work had been done by him in the way of repairing the streets. Mr. Thurbur appeared in behalf of the cannery and wanted the town to assist in the putting in of a sewer to connect with the cannery. The matter was referred to the committee of the whole for an estimate as to cost.

On Friday evening, April 2d, some magnificent portfolios of scenes in India will be formally presented to the trustees of the High School, and placed on exhibition before the friends of the institution. This will be done in connection with the entertainment for the benefit of the scholarship fund for the graduate of last year, 1896, who stood highest in his class.

Dr. Dinsmore of San Jose delivered the second of the series of lectures at the Presbyterian Church last Friday evening, taking for his subject the Huguenots, whose sufferings and persecutions have become a matter of history.

Some of the friends of Miss Bessie Hathaway tendered her a surprise party Thursday night.

A meeting of shooting enthusiasts was held in the town hall Saturday evening and the question of organizing a gun club was discussed. The sentiment was all in favor of having such an organization and about twenty agreed to become members.

Mrs. Mary E. McKinney died Friday night. The day before she had given birth to a daughter, and while the little one survived, the mother was taken away. The deceased was a native of California and was 37 years of age. A husband and eight small children survive her, and to them the deepest sympathy of the community is extended. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon.

An entertainment will be given in Native Sons' Hall Friday evening, April 2d, for the benefit of the High School scholarship fund for the 1896 graduate who stood highest in his class.

A meeting of the stockholders of the creamery was held at the office of the Haywards Lumber Company Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of organizing the company, and arrangements were made to go ahead with the creamery.

New members are coming into the Workmen with a rush lately. At the last meeting four candidates were initiated and six more applications were received.

Monday evening the fire boys were out drilling and the water had hardly been turned on before the hose broke near the nozzle. Walter Meyers, who was handling the nozzle, received a thorough drenching.

Druggist McDonnell reports the rainfall up to date for this season to be 24 inches, against 15.91 up to the same time last year. For twenty-four hours ending 9 A. M. March 18th, .18 of an inch fell and for the same time this morning there was .24.

John Jones, who has been in Los Angeles for two years or so, returned to Haywards this week.

At the session of the Grand Parlor of Native Sons which will be held at Redwood City next month, Eden Parlor will have a candidate for grand trustee in the person of N. A. McConaghy.

Mrs. H. Meininger and Mrs. F. Trathen have been elected by Haywards Rebekah lodge No. 26 representatives to the grand lodge which will meet in San Francisco in May.

Last Saturday a large number of friends of Mrs. S. E. Dennis gathered at her home at Mt. Eden and gave her a surprise party.

Dr. John Gamble, principal of the High School, has been spending a few days at Merced this week.

C. O. Johnson, the foreman of Captain Roberts' lumber yard, had a runaway Sunday while he and his family were going to Alameda. The horse he was driving was a spirited animal and near San Lorenzo became frightened at something and started to run. Before he was stopped the occupants of the buggy had been thrown out and one of the children was cut somewhat about the face and head.

Mrs. Sturtevant-Peet of San Jose, who is prominently identified with the W. C. T. U., has been visiting her daughter, Miss Beaumelle Sturtevant, this week.

Irvington.

(From the Washington Press.)

The fair in aid of St. Joseph's Church, Mission San Jose, will open on the 17th of May and continue for a week. The object in holding the fair is to raise funds with which to repair the church for the coming celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Mission parish which will take place on Sunday, June 13th, of this year.

There is talk of a number of people from this place making a visit to the Yosemite and Big Trees during the coming summer. They will drive and take a cook along to do all the work.

Nelson M. Brownell, who two years ago was proprietor of the Irvington Hotel, died of typhoid pneumonia at Fargo, N. D., after a short illness.

Mr. C. J. Bond spent yesterday in Oakland.

Mr. Crowell took a flying trip to San Jose yesterday.

Mrs. C. Schultz is seriously ill and is confined to her bed.

A large force of men and teams are graveling the roads in this district with creek gravel from Niles.

While Joe Maguire was engaged in tearing down the old livery stable yesterday, a board containing a rusty nail was struck by a beam and the nail was driven through his arm just above the wrist.

The orange trees in Mr. H. Crowell's garden present a very pretty appearance. They are well filled with luscious fruit and are as fine as any in the county.

The flag on the I. O. O. F. building floated at half-mast Tuesday out of respect to the memory of Mr. Caldera of Centerville, who was a member.

Niles.

(From the Washington Press.)

The Ladies' Literary Club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Clough on Tuesday, April 6th. The same topics which were used for the March meeting will be used at the April meeting and the same subjects which were to be discussed then will occupy the attention of the members at the April meeting.

An entertainment was given Friday evening in Ford's Hall for Home Missions. The committee having the affair in charge arranged an extremely good programme. Rev. Harrison of Oakland gave a lecture well illustrated by stereopticon views upon "Our Golden State."

The younger girls of the C. E. Society are practicing singing each week and are to lead in the singing Sunday evenings at praise service. They sang for the first time last Sunday evening and their singing was quite an addition to the service.

The Lowell High School Cadets are camping in true military style in the canyon at the picnic grounds.

Misses Gussie and Jennie Champion have both received beautiful new wheels during the week.

The public school is closed for the mid-term vacation, and the teachers are spending the time in Oakland.

Rev. F. H. Maar paid a flying trip to Niles this week, coming up on the evening train Monday and returning home next morning.

Long tramps and picnics have been quite in vogue the last week.

The several P. O. petitions are growing longer as the time grows shorter.

Miss Hazel Jacobson is visiting relatives in Oakland.

Bartlett Thane of the U. C. was at home last week.

San Lorenzo.

(From the San Leandro Reporter.)

Mr. E. O. Webb is shipping green peas to San Francisco.

C. L. Gage, soliciting agent of the Burlington route, was in town Monday.

Rhubarb shipments are increasing. An average of fifty boxes leaves here every night.

The clear weather has given farmers a surplus of work. Plowing, brush hauling and garden making are much in vogue.

A committee of the Lithographers' Association of San Francisco, was out here Sunday making arrangements for their annual picnic.

A school bond election has been called for April 14th in Russell district, near Mt. Eden, to vote $3,000 worth of bonds for a new school house.

On Sunday Ole Johnson had the misfortune to get thrown out of his rig and later to have the rig badly smashed, the result of a shying horse.

The burial of Captain James Cook took place at 1 o'clock Sunday under the auspices of Encinal Lodge, I. O. O. F. A full delegation was also present from Joe Hooker Post, G. A. R.

Elmhurst.

(From the San Leandro Reporter.)

A humorous and instructive lecture by Rev. C. S. Chapman, D. D., on "Personal Recollections of Life in Washington," will be given at the Presbyterian Church at Elmhurst on Friday evening, March 26, 1897. During the years 1864-69 Dr. Chapman was connected with the clerical force of Congress, and thus enjoyed exceptional opportunities for witnessing the thrilling scenes at the National Capital and for learning the personal characteristics of, and becoming intimately acquainted with the mighty men of the nation during those "days that tried men's souls."

The annual picnic of the employes of the electric railway promises to be a most enjoyable outing. It will take place on Thursday, May 18th, at San Lorenzo Grove.

A dead cat was thrown into the hallway of the public school building one evening in the early part of last week. If the perpetrator is caught he will be made to suffer for his offense.

The Episcopal services at the Taylor House on Sunday were very well attended and those interested in the establishment of a mission feel very much pleased over the success of their efforts.

Strict orders have been issued by the Electric Railway Company to conductors to keep the passage ways of the cars clear. This is an excellent rule and will be much appreciated by the patrons of the company.

Mr. C. E. Leonard has accepted a position with the Haywards and San Leandro Electric Road as conductor.

The Electric Railway is increasing its force of conductors and motormen, as the coming summer promises to be a busy one.

Tassajara.

(From the Pleasanton Times.)

Mr. Sanches and daughter met with a painful accident Sunday, by their spirited team running away. Miss Sanches sustained a fractured limb, but her father escaped with a severe shaking up. Dr. Cope was called to attend the case.

Stanley Climer is attending business college at Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williams and son are expected home Friday from their visit at Sonoma.

Miss Fannie Wand of San Francisco is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Johnston.

Miss Nina McPherson departed Sunday for her school in the Summit district.

Ernest McPherson has purchased a new bicycle and is devoting his spare time exhibiting his skill as a rider.

San Leandro.

From the San Leandro Reporter.

The Board of Trustees met Monday evening and the bill of N. L. Hansen for supplies consisting of cement, etc., for the flagstaff amounting to $79.25, was read and approved, after which the Board adjourned.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Florence Palmtag and Vincent J. Strobel, which will take place at Hayward on the evening of March 24th. The prospective bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Palmtag of Hayward.

The stereopticon views of California exhibited at the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening were the finest ever seen in our city. Miss Helen Kelleher, the lecturer, is an elocutionist of ability and from start to finish kept the attention of her audience.

The subject of the missionary meeting in the Presbyterian Church next Tuesday afternoon is "Alaska." Miss Julia Fraser, of Oakland, who has traveled in that land will speak in regard to the natives and their manner of living.

Rev. W. R. Gober, former pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at this place, is quite low at Hayward.

Maurice Fitzgerald, a former resident of our city, is very low with pneumonia at his Oakland home.

The reception tendered by Cherry Camp to Head Consul Falkenburg was a most enjoyable affair. Consul Falkenburg talked so entertainingly and earnestly on the benefits resulting from membership in the order that eight new members were enrolled at the close of the meeting.

The Sunday school of the Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment on Thursday evening, March 25th, for the benefit of the piano fund.

One of the large barns on the Mathews ranch near Elmhurst was burned to the ground on Wednesday evening. There were besides 80 tons of hay, two mowers, one self-binder and a number of other farming implements. Tramps were known to have entered the place early in the evening, and it is believed they are responsible for the fire.

A circular calling upon all the citizens to assist in impressing upon visiting Christian Endeavorers the material resources of Alameda County has been issued by the local Endeavorers.

F. D. Morin has been appointed School Census Marshal for Union District.

A grand ball will be given by San Leandro Council No. 1, U. P. E. C. on Saturday evening, April 17th, for the benefit of an old member.

Revival services commence on Monday evening under the management of Rev. Thomas Elandy, Evangelist, at the Methodist Church.

McIntyre & Johnson are building a laundry at the Boys and Girls Protectory near the narrow gauge railroad. It is to be 60x30 and will be fitted up with the latest machinery when completed.

Judge Frederick Adams of Oakland, was here on Thursday.

Charley Tenney gave the flagstaff another coat of paint on Tuesday.

Shipments of rhubarb to market are increasing.

Asparagus is very slow and as a consequence but a few boxes are sent daily.

A lot of buyers from San Francisco commission houses paying spot cash for early vegetables was witnessed every evening this week.

R. G. Graham, contracting agent of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad Company, visited this station on Monday on business connected with his company.

H. W. Adams, contracting agent of the Rock Island Railroad, was in town Monday looking for Eastern shipments over his line.

Livermore.

From the Livermore Herald.

Peter Hendrix of Livermore and Miss Nellie Cronin of Boston, Mass., were united in marriage last Tuesday at St. Joseph's parsonage, San Francisco, Rev. Father Scanlan officiating. The wedding was a very quiet one owing to the receipt of a telegram bearing the sad intelligence of the critical illness of the bride's father. After the ceremony Mrs. Hendrix departed for the East and upon her return they will take up their home in Livermore where both are well and favorably known.

On Saturday, the 13th inst., death summoned Paola Acosta, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Acosta of Livermore. Deceased was an American of Spanish parentage and had long been a sufferer of the dread disease, consumption, which finally caused his death. Paola Acosta was just emerging from boyhood into man's estate when death cut short his career. The funeral services on Tuesday were conducted by the Rev. Father Power. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Some weeks ago, John Clark missed several sticks of dynamite from his ranch near Mendenhall springs. Mr. Clark believed that the property had been stolen. It has been since ascertained that a deer hound from the springs wandered near to Mr. Clark's ranch and made a meal from the explosives. Whether the canine ate the stuff to boost him along when on the chase, no one seems to know. However that makes but little difference as the poor fellow couldn't digest the fiery substance and died instanter.

Charles Calding of San Francisco, and Charles Jones of Alameda, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wegener of Livermore.

Frank Naylor, assistant cashier of the Bank of Berkeley, returned this week after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Thomas Knox.

J. Healing, District Deputy Grand Chief Ranger of the Forresters of America, paid an official visit to Court Livermore Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Alice Kincaid formerly of Livermore, now of Puyallup, Washington, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Wegener the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Joy and Captain Rees of San Francisco, spent Saturday and Sunday in Livermore as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McKown.

Mrs. Parrott and her three children and Miss Georgie Cooper of San Francisco are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Buckley at Ravenswood.

Miss Lena Phillips and Miss Annie Jenkins, both students of Curtner Seminary, Irvington, came up Friday evening and spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Miss Phillip's parents of Livermore.

I. Horton as district deputy of the order of Workmen, assisted last Saturday evening in the institution of a lodge at Sunol. Mr. Horton reports that the new organization was started with a large membership which gives promise of being a good healthy order.

Charley Johns, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Johns, died at the home of his parents on College avenue last Tuesday morning. He had been an invalid nearly all his life and was stricken recently by a severe cold that later developed pneumonia. The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. Reid officiating. The deceased was aged 16 years and 2 months.

A party of Epworth Leaguers gathered at the Methodist Church last Friday evening for the purpose of having a social time. Games and other amusements were enjoyable features of the occasion, and the young people made the time fly merrily until a late hour.

The death of Mrs. Susan M. Morrill, wife of Byron M. Morrill, occurred at the home in Livermore Tuesday, the 16th instant. Pleura-pneumonia was the fatal illness. On Wednesday, the 10th, Mrs. Morrill was confined to her bed by a slight cold and fever. At that time her illness was not considered serious and in a few days she was much improved. The Saturday following, she was around as usual but overtaxed her strength resulting in a relapse which developed the fatal malady.

A large number of tents have been put up at Corrall Hollow mines, as sleeping apartments for the workmen, doubtless on account of the lack of necessary hotel accommodations. Among them an extra large one is erected, in which entertainments and dances are given, and which accommodates three or four sets of dancers on the floor.

Last Monday morning bright and early there was congregated in front of Ryan Bros.' livery stable, a crowd of Livermore boys bound for the Corral Hollow mines.

There is yet a difference of opinion among the lawyers of the District Attorney's office as to whether an election in Livermore can be legally held in May.

Two boys from Alameda left their home last Saturday on a pleasure trip to the Corral Hollow mines, walking the entire distance. They were well equipped for the journey and explained that they were taking advantage of a few day's vacation to see the country. They passed through Livermore about noon last Sunday.

Revival services were begun in the Methodist Episcopal Church last Wednesday evening. Rev. G. W. Beatty of Oakland is helping the pastor.

Alvarado.

From the Hayward Review.

Miss Kate Joyce of San Francisco was the guest of her mother, Mrs. P. Joyce, last Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nauert has been visiting friends in San Francisco and Oakland the past two weeks.

Miss Elsie Ehram and Miss L. Muller of Mission San Jose visited friends in town last Sunday.

We are glad to see Judge Richmond in his old place, the postoffice, after an illness of three weeks.

Fritz Seeswing, who has been the guest of the Muller family, returned to San Francisco last Sunday.

D. Jackson and daughter Clara visited friends in Concord, Contra Costa County, Monday and Tuesday of this week.

C. R. Nauret, superintendent of the Alvarado foundry, has employed ten more moulders this week on account of McKinley's election, he says.

A number of the friends of "Grandmother" Ralph went to San Francisco Tuesday to give her a little surprise, it being her seventy-seventh birthday. A very enjoyable day was spent.

Pleasanton.

From the Pleasanton Times.

Mrs. Percival Madson, wife of the local contractor, has been quite sick for the past three weeks. She is now convalescing.

Mr. Beckwith, of Galt, was in town Thursday visiting his daughter, Miss Lina Beckwith, a teacher in the Pleasanton school.

Mrs. R. H. Magill Jr. visited friends in Alameda last Sunday and Monday. She returned home Monday afternoon and was accompanied by her cousin Mrs. Westley Hickox.

A party of Livermore cyclists consisting of J. Fletcher, Mrs. F. R. Fassett, Miss Kate Rice, Mrs. Kelley, and Mrs. Judge Sanderson came to Pleasanton Wednesday on their wheels.

The Chautuqua Society held a very pleasant meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilson. After the business of the meeting had been disposed of refreshments were served.

The Pleasanton Euchre Club held its regular semi-monthly meeting last Saturday evening at the cosy little home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Arendt, who have been traveling in Europe for more than a year, are preparing for their homeward journey. They will leave Liverpool April 7th bound for New York and expect to arrive here by May 1st. It is possible they may reside in San Francisco for a time, although their future plans have not been fully made. From advices received from the travelers it is learned that although they have spent a most enjoyable year, they are glad that the day has been set for their return to California.

The Christian Endeavor Society held its regular monthly meeting and social session last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Gilson.

The ladies of the Mission San Jose Catholic Church are working hard for the success of the fair which is to take place there in May. The object is to raise funds to thoroughly renovate and repair the church for the celebration of the centennial of the founding of the Mission. The ladies have organized in a most thorough and systematic manner and are meeting with great success in their undertaking.

Pleasanton was well represented at the Carson circus. Among the prominent men of town who saw the show were Lou Crellin, Thomas Keating and A. F. Schweer. They departed Tuesday for the scene of the encounter. And there were others.

The Pleasantonians who like good elocution have a treat in store for them in the near future. Through the good offices of Mr. Bradford Crittenden a student at the University of the Pacific, Miss Effa Kuns, has consented to come to Pleasanton for one evening. Miss Kuns is professor of elocution at the University.

A Chinese vegetable gardener, known as "China Bill," was thrown off his wagon Thursday at the railroad crossing near the De Lopez place. His head and left shoulder were badly bruised and his left wrist was severely sprained. Dr. Hershiser dressed his wounds.

Joe Enos contemplates making extensive improvements to his dwelling on Rose avenue. It is to be raised and a basement built under it. The roof will also be raised and a second story constructed.

J. J. Murphy is making extensive improvements to his property on Main street, adjoining the Nevis building. The old depot building which has been on Mr. Murphy's Rose avenue lot is to be moved on to Main street and raised up to a sufficient height to build a story under it. It will be fitted up for store purposes.

The Pleasanton Mutual Building and Loan Association held its annual meeting and election of officers Wednesday evening in the office of the Bank of Pleasanton.

There is probably no member of the Board of Town Trustees who is more thoroughly in favor of public improvements, or a more ardent advocate of municipal ownership than President William Napier. He wants Pleasanton to have a water supply and a light plant and everything else that would tend to put the town a step ahead, but he is most decidedly opposed to having these enterprises undertaken and conducted by private individuals or corporations.

Three carloads of wine casks arrived this week for the Ruby Hill winery. Mr. Crellin expects to break the record this year in his shipments of wine.

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DINGLEY PROMISES GOOD TIMES

Prospect of a Discussion That Will Shed a Great Deal of Light.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The tariff debate began in the House at 10 o'clock this morning.

Despite the early hour of assembling, there was a large attendance on the floor and the galleries showed evidence of the great interest in the proceedings.

Dingley and Bailey the opposing leaders were early in their places.

By the rule under which the House was to operate, the House immediately resolved itself into a committee of the whole and the speaker conferred upon Sherman, Republican of New York, the distinguished honor of presiding over the committee.

Those who expected the debate to begin immediately were disappointed. The leaders decided to have the bill read in full at the outset in order to disarm the criticism passed on previous bills that they were put through without even having been read in the House.

The spectators in the galleries and the members on the floor waited while the clerk droned through the 163 pages of the bill.

Dingley opened the debate. He said that the committee had endeavored to discard mere theories and had addressed themselves to the framing of a practical remedy for the ills of the country.

He said that by placing wool on the free list, the treasury had lost $21,000,000 revenue and farmers $30,000,000 per year. The new schedule would increase manufacturies, and the wool grower, and ultimately increase the revenue.

The sugar schedule would increase revenue and encourage the sugar production of this country.

Dingley estimated that the second year the bill would yield $100,000,000 increased revenue.

In conclusion he urged the need of prompt action.

Dingley was followed by General Wheeler of Alabama, who opened for the minority.

FIRE IN DAKOTA.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HURON, S. D., March 22.—Property worth $70,000 was destroyed by fire this morning including the Alliance Building occupied by the Government Land office, which saved most of its records.

The United States Weather Bureau lost all its instruments and most of its records for the past seventeen years.

SAVED SOME PASSENGERS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEWPORT, Va., March 22.—It is reported that the steamship Yanariva has picked up sixteen of the survivors of the Ville St. Nazaire disaster. The Yanariva sailed March 11th for Glasgow. She will make the trip in about fifteen days.

SUICIDED AT A DEPOT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PLACERVILLE, March 22.—John E. Wilson, lately of Folsom, committed suicide this morning at the railroad depot in this city by shooting himself through the heart.

Battle Against Beer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—War against Chicago beer has been declared by the Chicago Federation of Labor at its regular weekly meeting. A gigantic boycott, in which all organized labor will be urged to unite, was launched against the product of all breweries that are members of the Chicago Brewers' Association, and will take effect April 1st.

Union men who wish to drink beer, will be asked to buy the product of Milwaukee and St. Louis breweries, and to refuse to patronize any saloon supplied by any of the seventy members of the Brewers' combine.

Grievances of Coopers' Union No. 11 against the local brewers precipitated the action of the Federation.

John McPherson, the delegate from the Coopers' Union, who was present at the meeting, explained to the Federation that the Coopers had vainly tried for a year to induce the brewers to use barrels and kegs made by union workmen, and now asked that decisive measures be taken at once to force the manufacturers to comply or to place their product under the ban of united labor.

The sentiment of the labor men was for battle.

Chicago Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Wheat March, 71 7-8; May, 72 7-8; corn, March, 23½; May, 24½; oats, March, 16 5-8; May, 17 1-8; pork, March, $8.62½; May, $8.72½; lard, March, $4.10; May, $4.20; ribs, March and May $4.70; rye, 33 1-4; flax seed, 78 1-4; timothy, $2.75.

San Francisco Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Wheat quiet; December $1.16 1-8 bid; May, $1.25 bid. Cash $1.23 3-4 to $1.26 1-4. No charters.

FOUND FAULTLESS.

Levin & Co's Condensed Milk Stands a Thorough Test.

Health Officials Searching for Impure Stuff Find None in This Store.

A short time ago the Health Department started on a crusade against bad condensed milk, and in the search the store of Levin & Co. on Tenth and Washington streets was visited. It was expected that some of the stuff named would be found on the shelves, but not one can of bad milk could be discovered anywhere.

If any has been in the store, it was before Levin & Co. took charge. Levin Bros. recently failed, and the place was purchased by another firm. During the change of ownership it is possible that some milk unfit for use was kept, but it is certain that none was allowed to remain after Levin & Co. bought out the new firm.

David Levin, formerly a member of Levin Bros., and now manager of the store, offered the health officials $1 a can for every bit of impure milk found. This may have inspired extra diligence, but the manager was not called upon to make good his offer, for the inspection proved conclusively that all the condensed milk was first class in every respect.

Levin & Co. have completely renovated the store and have put in an entirely new stock, not allowing any of the old goods to remain. The members of the firm are well known business men, and their word is sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the goods offered for sale.

FRIENDS IN DEATH.

The funeral of Fred E. White, who was found dead in his room at 1880 Seventh street last week, was held from Brown's undertaking parlors at 10 o'clock this morning.

Notwithstanding the fact that White's brother had ordered the remains to be buried in the Potter's Field, a number of the dead man's large hearted friends, headed by Joseph Cook, raised enough money to buy a plot and headstone for the unfortunate fellow's remains. Rev. Mr. Mynard of St. John's Episcopal Church officiated at the funeral services.

Funeral of Mrs. Carpenter.

The funeral of Mrs. Carpenter, wife of Dr. O. Carpenter, was largely attended this afternoon. Dr. J. K. McLean conducted the services and the following acted as pall-bearers: Geo. T. Hawley, D. H. Mathers, T. L. Merrill, E. B. Taylor, Guy C. Earl and C. W. Kellogg. There were many beautiful floral offerings. A quartette consisting of Mrs. Schultz, Mrs. Nicholson, A. M. Benham and H. K. Snow, furnished the music. The interment took place in Mountain View Cemetery.

WEYLER'S MOVE.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

HAVANA, March 22.—Although he has not yet completely recovered his health, Captain-General Weyler embarked at 12 o'clock last night on the Spanish cruiser Legasie, bound for Cardenas, in the province of Matanzas.

In Port.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GLASGOW, March 22.—Arrived: Pomoraine, New York.

Moville—Ethiopia, from New York.

Gibraltar—Fulda, from New York for Genoa.

AS TO TERMS OF OFFICE.

Question Raised as to When New Officials Get in Power.

Some Hold That It Will Not Be Before the First of April.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the City Council this evening, which, if the business now on hand can be finished, will be the last meeting of the present Council. The new body will hold its first meeting next Monday.

There is no question about the date for the new Council to assume duty, as the law states it is to assume duties two weeks from the day it is declared elected. But there is a bare possibility that the ambiguity of the law may cause some trouble with the other city officers.

The law says they are to hold office two years. Mayor Davie thinks his term expires on the first Monday in April, which is the 5th prox. City Attorney Peirsol is also of this opinion, but it is asserted that some of the officers-elect will demand their offices on the 29th instant, believing that the two years will have then expired.

HE SAW HELL.

George Wyman, ex-politician, policeman and sport, breathed his last at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Receiving Hospital. He has been there for the past two weeks, a sufferer from dropsical troubles.

Just before the end came, he moaned: "I see heaven," but later exclaimed: "No, it is hell."

Big Radishes.

Mr. Bird of Bird's Point, Alameda, left a large bunch of radishes at the Tribune office this morning. The radishes were grown on Mr. Bird's place and were from fifteen to eighteen inches in length, by one to two inches in diameter and are excellent in every respect.

Chicago Hogs.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Hogs, light, $3.95@$4.20; mixed, $4.05@$4.25; heavy, $3.80@$4.25; rough, $3.80@$3.90; cattle, beeves, $3.70@$5.35; cows and heifers, $2.00@$4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.35@$4.25.

Inquest at Niles

Coroner Baldwin was called to Niles today to hold an inquest on the remains of Clarence Nautcher, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Nautcher, who fell in Stony Brook and was drowned before his mother's eyes last Saturday.

Cost Nothing.

L. M. Harrison and H. B. Daniel filed their accounts this afternoon. They declare that their fights for School Director and Treasurer respectively cost exactly nothing.

Jungk Dead.

Conrad Jungk, a native of Germany, aged 42 years, died at his home, 1479 Twelfth avenue, of consumption this morning. Deceased leaves a widow and two children.

SAVED FOR THE ROPE.

Blanther Will Live That He May Die as a Murderer.

The Dose of Poison Not Strong Enough to Kill Mrs. Langfeld's Murderer.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—Joseph E. Blanther, the murderer of Mrs. Philipina Langfeldt, has been resuscitated from his attempt at suicide on Saturday night in the jail at Meriden, Texas.

He will be brought back to California to be tried for his crime.

He had concealed morphine in the waist band of his trousers and had swallowed the fatal dose but, after thirty-six hours of work the physicians announced that he is now out of danger. Word to this effect was received today by telegraph from the Sheriff at Meriden by the local police.

The latter are now convinced that the prisoner is Blanther, whose weakness for women led to his capture.

He was traced through a woman to whom he had been married some years ago, and who has been living in Texas.

THE TROPHY CASE.

The Prize Won by Sam and Dick Now in Proper Shape.

Chief of the Fire Department Fair has received the glass case which he was authorized to purchase by the Commissioners to cover the trophy received at the last horse show in San Francisco.

The case is an oval affair and is some two and one-half feet high. Inside is the gold-lined silver cup. The cup itself is eighteen inches high and is handsomely engraved. On one side is engraved an engine and horses running to a fire and above is inscribed: "Fireman's Fund Insurance Company Cup." On the other side of the cup is written: "For the Best Team of Two Horses Shown to a Regular Fire Engine, Third Annual Horse Show, San Francisco, 1896."

Above this prize is the certificate won in 1894 by the same engine and team, Sam and Dick of Engine No. 1.

TREATY TALK.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Senate refused on a yea and nay vote to adopt a motion made by Senator Morgan to amend the amendment of the Foreign Relations Committee to the arbitration treaty.

Morgan's amendment provided for the striking out of the words "jurists of repute" from the amendment, inserted in lieu of the provision constituting the judges of the Supreme Court members of the arbitration tribunal.

POLICE NOTES.

Kate Kennedy, who was found on Telegraph avenue by Officer Green in a drunken stupor, was found guilty of drunkenness and fined $6.

Jacob Weil, who was arrested for selling diseased beef at the free market, was given till tomorrow to plead. He is out on $50 bail.

Tommy McHenry, whose mother would not allow him to answer a subpoena to appear in the Police Court as a witness in the case against the Sullivan boys for disturbing the peace, will be tried tomorrow.

John Doe Madison, who, with Gordon Davis, was arrested for stoning Chinamen, will be heard Saturday.

PAID A FINE OF $40.

Judge Wood was back in his old place at the Police Court for a while this afternoon, to pass sentence on a few of the cases he had tried before vacating the place.

He first ordered Mrs. R. B. Davis, the nemesis of the Oakland detective force, to pay $40 for the privilege of not going to jail. This the woman reluctantly did.

Then the Judge took the cases of battery and disturbing the peace against Tom Gough, preferred by Mrs. Edith Keeger, under advisement till next Wednesday.

HE READS "THE TRIBUNE."

Saturday Chief of Police Lloyd received a letter from Mrs. Laura King-Shirley asking for information concerning her brother, William Jasper King, who left San Diego three years ago and was supposed to have come to this city. King saw an account of the letter in the Tribune and this morning called upon the Chief of Police and promised to write to his sister.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

C. S. Barnard, one of the candidates for Councilman, today filed his statement, showing that he spent $16.50. Rudolph Rost, who sought the same honor, declares that he had no expenditures.

DEATH OF S. G. TUCKER.

The death has been reported of Samuel G. Tucker, aged 67 years, at his home, 1255 Clay street, yesterday. Deceased has lived in Oakland for twenty-two years.

Stock Exchange.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, Mar. 22.—Initial dealings on the Stock Exchange were characterized by irregularity, but a firm undertone was apparent, Vanderbilt stocks displaying a decided strength.

A drop of 2⅞ in the Jersey Central impeded the improvement of the general market, and fractional losses ensued on profit taking, being most marked in Omaha, New York Central and sugar.

The reactionary movement was checked by liberal purchases of Vanderbilts and Chicago gas.

LICENSED TO MARRY

John B. McMahan, Davisville	42
Ada E. Brackett, Davisville	20
Louis Bertram, San Francisco	29
Josephine Lemp, San Francisco	22
J. J. Strobel, Haywards	32
Florence E. L. Palmtag, Haywards	20
Albert A. Roi, Oakland	28
Ella K. Day, Oakland	26
Olaf T. Johnsona, Oakland	41
Emma Peterson, Oakland	36
Frank R. Lewis, San Francisco	28
Cora F. Fraser, San Francisco	26
Daniel M. Berry, Alameda	34
Helma E. Peterson, Oakland	34
Carl F. Solomonson, Oakland	34
Amalia Getenson, San Francisco	26

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Long at the Lever

Breaks Down the Nervous System of a Well-Known Railroad Engineer. What Built Him up Again.

From the Gazette, Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mr. Elbridge Waterman is a well-known railroad engineer of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway, who has been a great sufferer from nervous debility of an aggravated kind for the past ten years. The strain was telling on his nerves terribly, and steady work was impossible. The following is his story:

"For the past ten years," he said, "I have suffered as few men have, with nervousness, heart trouble and rheumatism. I was forced to quit work, and there seemed to be little prospect of my going back to the throttle again. My heart troubled me very much, and I was totally unable to sleep for days and weeks at a time. When I would drop off into a doze, my heart would beat itself almost out of my bosom, and would wake me up as though I had been struck by a trip hammer. I had twitchings in my arms and legs, and was altogether in such a condition that my wife and friends began to consider me beyond reach of medical assistance.

"I was almost of the same opinion myself when I happened to see in the paper last June, a letter from an old soldier in the west who had been cured of rheumatism by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The testimonial was written in such a way that I knew it was not a faked up one, and I determined to give this medicine a fair trial. I was unable to work at the time, and almost in despair. So I went to the drug store and bought six boxes of them, in order to give them a thorough test, and in a few days I began to feel an improvement they were working in my system. In two weeks I was able to go to work, and I have worked ever since without a lay-off, which is something I have not done for years.

"The first improvement I noticed was in my heart, which grew more and more normal in its action, until at last it did not trouble me at all, and I was able to sleep as I had not been able for ten years. The heart trouble has never returned, and my sleep for the past two months has been healthy and deep. Last night I went to bed early and slept soundly until eight o'clock this morning. And now, when I wake up, I feel invigorated and ready for the day's work, just as I used to feel when I was a boy.

"The nervous twitchings were also cured in a short time, and have never returned or bothered me in the least since. This has also been a great relief to me, as the twitchings were very annoying, as well as an indication to every one of the terrible condition in which my state of health was. And the greatest wonder of all is that the rheumatism seems to be cured also, and does not bother me in the least any more, except when I expose myself unduly, and even then only for a short time. I consider myself a well man now, and hope to continue so. I am still taking Pink Pills, for I want the cure to be a complete and permanent one. I only wish I had known of them years ago, for I would have saved myself large sums of money as well as suffering for which no money could repay."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box, or six boxes for $2.50 (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

WOMEN AS FINANCIERS.

The Peculiarities of the Sex In the Caring for Their Cash.

Large Percentage of Oakland Females Who Deposit in Banks.

Now that women have entered nearly every profession and business, it is interesting to note how a woman has succeeded or failed; in what respect she has equalled her brother wage earner, how her money making schemes differ from his and what she does with her money.

In Oakland there are several hundreds of women who are supporting themselves by their own labor, wresting success where they can and bearing defeat when it comes. This city has the usual quota of women physicians, two or three women lawyers, two women undertakers, several artists and a score of women in schools and offices.

All of these women are earning their living, all of these women are either saving or spending their salaries.

WOMEN WITH BANK ACCOUNTS.

Women are naturally prudent, financially, especially so is a woman who has been taught the value of a penny by having to earn it. While many women are not earning salaries equal to the weekly remuneration of a theatrical star of the first magnitude or of the recompense for services rendered that the president of an insurance company receives, still, it is surprising to note the number of women who have bank accounts.

Several bankers in this city are unanimous in declaring that a large number of their depositors are women. This does not, of course, confine the women depositors to the feminine wage earner. It includes women who are enriched by the bequests or gifts of relatives and who manage their fortunes independently.

One banker declared that 53 per cent of the depositors were women; another claimed that 80 per cent of the bank's patrons were women. The predominance of woman's names on the ledger of bank books is due probably not so much to the fact that women as a class are more saving or richer than men, but that the feminine nature is cautious and fearful of investing. It may appear to be a paradox of woman's character that the same woman who will ponder twice over the investment of money in a new business enterprise will rashly squander money on lottery tickets, or anything which promises a large and rapid profit.

Bankers are, as a rule, affable men. They are accustomed to the peculiarties of the mind feminine and are exceedingly tactful in discussing business matters with women.

DEALING WITH WOMEN.

"I would rather deal with twenty men than one woman," declared an Oakland banker today.

"Women," he continued, "seem to be incapable of judging what is advantageous and what is disadvantageous from a business standpoint. They hesitate, they make trivial objections to this and that and they can ask more questions than the most loquacious disputing attorney. It is always a painful subject to me to ask a woman to sign a mortgage merely on account of the uncertainty of the feminine mind. She does not know whether she wants to sign it or not and she takes so long to make up her mind that one almost ceases to care what she does. We have many women among our depositors and we find the wage earner is the more practical and business like."

CUBA LOST TO THE CROWN

NEW YORK, March 22.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

Only a few of the more excitable Spanish officers refuse to admit that Cuba is lost to the crown. Resident Spaniards confess they can see no other outcome. In fact evidences that Cuba may in the end be freed by Spanish residents themselves are many and strong.

The calmest minds predict the end of Spanish rule within two years. Some say not so soon; others say within one year.

The proposition of Cisneros and Gomes, sent in writing to the New York World, to buy the island is rapidly growing in popularity here. Its warmest advocates are Spanish residents here, loyal to the crown. They are the active financial and business men of the island, the owners of eight-tenths of its wealth and its sources of wealth.

The Spanish element is condemning with more and more emphasis the fruitless exhausting policy of General Weyler. They see his idea of pacification is depopulation; his plan for peace, devastation. Farmers, laborers and all wealth-producing classes in the country are driven to their graves, or to the rebel ranks, to destroy what remains. Wealth already produced is given to flames.

They see that Captain-General Weyler is making no military progress. The Cubans are being left more and more in possession of the country. They frequently sack small towns close to Havana. They are in force in cities of the fourth and third class once or twice a month. Such raids grow more common.

King Menelek of Abyssinia a few weeks ago was reported to have ordered from a Russian painter a battle picture representing the defeat of the Italians. Now he has commissioned the artist Schelsing of Meiningen to paint a great panorama, to be put up in a building to be erected for the purpose.

Queen of Sauces—Yorkshire Relish.

Sheep Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—Sheep and lamb market, from strong to 10c higher; native sheep, $2.80@$4.50; westerns, $3.60@$4.50; lambs, $4@$5.50.

The genuine Cracker Jack costs no more than the inferior imitations; therefor see that you get the package with the big P's on.

The Prince of Wales possesses the most curious paper weight in the world. It is the hand of an Egyptian mummy.

BADLY CUT.

Leandro Higuere, a laborer, had eleven stitches put in and around his ear by Dr. Stratton at the Receiving Hospital. The patient's many cuts were received by a broken saucer. He was chopping wood at his home, 757 Castro street, and the piece of crockery lay under a stick which he struck. The saucer flew up and struck him what was near a knock-out blow.

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DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Livermore Water and Power Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California. Location of works, Livermore, Alameda County, California.

NOTICE.

There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No. 1, levied upon the 13th day of January, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names.	No. Certificate.	Shares.	Amount.
James Stanley	6	200	$2,000 00
James Stanley	1	666⅔	6,666 66

And in accordance with law and on order of the Board of Directors made on the 13th day of January, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No. 462 Eighth street, in the City of Oakland, Alameda County, California, on Monday, the first day of March, 1897, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising all expenses of sale.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

Office, 462 Eighth St., Oakland, Cal.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company, at No. 462 Eighth street, Oakland, held this 25th day of February, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Thursday, March 11th, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Company, held at the office of the company at 462 Eighth st., this 11th day of March, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Wednesday, March 24, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

FURTHER POSTPONEMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Livermore Water and Power Co., held at the office of the Company at 462 Eighth St., this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, the above sale was postponed until Monday, March 29, 1897, at the same hour and same place.

(Seal) J. M. CARROLL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., Mch 19, 1897.

In pursuance with the order of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1897, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., for filling marsh land owned by the City of Oakland, said filling to be done under the direction of the City Engineer. The material used must be sand dredged from the shores of San Francisco Bay, and must be free from all foreign material. Said filling shall be commenced within ten days and be completed within one hundred and twenty days after entering into contract for said filling. The said filling is to be done on that portion of the West Oakland marsh bought from Koenig and Walsh, by the City of Oakland, also a portion of the streets fronting said party. Bidders will state in proposals the total amount for which they will complete the above described work.

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the City Engineer and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the bond, which check shall be forfeited to the City of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within 10 days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $1,000.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

N. W. SPAULDING JR., Secretary.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Company. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California.

Notice.—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment (No. 6), levied on the 1st day of February, 1897, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

Name.	No. of Certificate.	Shares.	Amt.
F. C. Havens	30	5	40 00
F. C. Havens	32	10	80 00
Nat Stein, trustee	31	450	3600 00
W. H. Chickering, trustee	29	750	6000 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of February, 1897, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Company, No. 1003½ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California, on Saturday, the 27th day of March, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. T. F. SCANLON, Secretary.

Office, 1003½ Broadway, room 25, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF FILING—Of Report of Commissioners in the matter of the opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon, from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland.

City Clerk's Office, Oakland, Cal., March 12th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners heretofore appointed to assess benefits and damages and to have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of opening a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from 24th street to the northern boundary of the City of Oakland, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1769, have this day filed in this office and with the Clerk of the City Council of said city their written report, showing their assessment of benefits and the damages, together with the plat of the assessment district, showing the land taken and to be taken for the work or improvement aforesaid, and the lands assessed, also showing the relative location of each district, block, lot or portion of lot and its dimensions.

Said report and plat are now and will be open to inspection in this office, and all persons interested therein and in said opening are hereby required to show cause, if any, why said report should not be confirmed by the City Council, by the filing of written objections thereto with the said Clerk of the City Council on or before the 17th day of April, 1897.

(Seal) J. W. TOMPKINS, Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, March 12th, 1897.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of John A. Jones, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the executrix and executors of the last will of John A. Jones, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix and executors, at their office at No. 1008 Broadway, in the City of Oakland, State of California, the same being their place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

HANNAH H. JONES, Executrix, and CHARLES H. JONES and LOUIS H. JONES, Executors of the last will of John A. Jones, deceased.

Dated at Oakland, Cal., February 8th, 1897.

W. F. SAWYER, Attorney for Executrix and Executors, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1896.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1896.

To all taxpayers in the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said County of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3743 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and County taxes for the year 1896, on all property within the County of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the first Monday in October, 1896, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1896,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda County, situated in the City of Oakland, in said County, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1896,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1897, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda County for the year 1896 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda County, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1897, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1897,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3743 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the first Monday in October, 1896, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1896,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 20th day of October, 1896.

JAMES B. BARBER,

Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 15, 1897, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1897

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629 Political Code becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars, and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 15th, 1897, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1897.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

Assessor's Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax Notice.

Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax must be paid on demand.

Oakland, March 1st, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax and Road Poll Tax for two dollars each for the year 1897, is now due and payable at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Section 3836 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

The same laws apply to the collection of Road Poll Tax as to the collection of State Poll Tax.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Mary C. Dalziel, deceased, and for the issuance to Carrie Fross Snyder of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 8th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

NYE & KINSELL, Att'ys for Petitioner, Oakland, Cal.

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Lazeran Sardines (boneless)..........medium 20c
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Regularly 25c and 30c; none better.

Excelsior Baking Powder..
..........1-lb cans 30c
..........5-lb cans 1.25
Regularly 45c and $1.50; our own make; and it cannot be improved upon.

California Port....bottle 65c
..........gallon 2.50
Regularly $1 and $3.50; has our highest indorsement for medical purposes; pure, mellow, 14 years old.

Bombay Chutney..........
..........large bottle 50c
Regularly 75c; our importation from India; 10 varieties; hot and sweet.

Sloe Gin ....bottle 1.50
The most popular drink of London today; physicians recommend it to women.

Frontier Rye Whisky........
..........bottle 90c
Regularly $1.25; your last opportunity at this price; bottled at distillery.

Table Butter (finest)..sq. 35c
Regularly 40c; you know our reputation.

Fresh Eggs..........doz. 15c

Catalogue mailed free.

Lookout for our Easter edition.

RELEASE OF AMERICANS.

The Eight Confined in Cuban Jails Will Soon Be Liberated.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—A special to the Times-Herald from Washington says:

The Madrid Government and Minister De Lome, are meeting the State Department half-way in the liberation of Americans under arrest in Cuba.

General Weyler, however, is acting the part of obstructionist and this may cause his transfer to the Phillipine Islands. This statement is made by an official who is thoroughly familiar with the negotiations with regard to the Americans in confinement. Only eight Americans are now within the wall of Spanish jails in Cuba.

"These eight men," says the official, "will be freed within a very short time. You will hear of the liberation of two and perhaps three during the present week, and within a short time, the reference to the trial of the Competitor prisoners.

"Were it not for General Weyler, there would be little doubt that we would be able to secure a much more rapid disposition of the cases. There is some friction between the Madrid authorities and General Weyler in regard to the matter, and it would not be surprising to see him transferred to the Phillipine Islands.

"Reports which have reached the State Department bear out the dispatches of the last few days, showing the weakness of the rebel forces in Cuba. Instead of having two armies, such as Maceo and Gomez commanded a year ago," continued the official, "the rebels are now roaming about Cuba conducting a guerrilla warfare. There is no banded resistance against the army of Spain. General Weyler has demonstrated that he can march unmolested through the provinces of Matanzas, Havana, Pinar del Rio and others."

An Alarm of Fire.

An alarm from Box 13, corner of Frederick and Telegraph avenue last evening was occasioned by a sooty chimney at the house of T. Barnett, 277 Telegraph avenue, and was turned in by two frightened women who happened to be passing there at the time.

Consider Looks Flavor and Wholesomeness of your cake and pastry, which means use *Trophy* Baking Powder

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PROTECT THE PACKERS

The Canned Goods Industry Threatened by Removal of the Drawback.

AN ILLOGICAL PROPOSITION.

Meat, Fruit and Fish in Cans Could Not Sell Abroad.

GREAT BLOW TO THE COAST.

Paralyze Energies Which Give Employment to Many Thousands.

There has been a great deal said about reform in the tariff with a view to protecting home industries, and there has also been a great deal said with regard to a reform which would be anything but a means of protecting our home interests against those of foreign countries, with their lack of duty upon exports and labor which commands only the lowest wages.

Of the means employed to afford this protection is a tariff which shall be so high that, while placing goods at a reasonable price within the reach of the consumer, at the same time renders it impossible for the products of ill paid operatives in foreign climes to enter into the competition. This is solely with regard to imports.

In the matter of exports, one of the methods employed by the Government, to enable home manufacturers to send their goods into other lands, is what is known as the system of drawbacks or the repayment to the exporter of a certain percentage of the export duty which he pays to the Government.

Both of these systems, it will be noticed, while operating in a different manner, have the same end in view, namely, the benefit of the American people through the medium of the law governing the admission to and the sending abroad of the manufactured articles and the products of this country.

TALK OF CHANGE.

There has been something said concerning the advisability of abolishing the drawback system which now obtains with reference to the exportation of canned goods. There is a general, and in the main a well harbored opinion, which is founded upon experience, that such a change would be of so radical and injurious a character that it would tend to destroy some of the industries which it is the duty of Americans to foster, all the more so because foreigners would reap the benefit of the change and the American would be compelled to suffer the consequences.

EFFECT OF WITHDRAWAL.

The question of the abolition of the drawback is one that comes home, with especial force to the residents of the Pacific Coast, and especially to San Francisco and Oakland, both of which are to so great an extent in the enjoyment of some of the returns of this species of trade. To abolish the drawback, therefore, would have a serious effect upon thousands along the coast, while the Government would indirectly be placed in the light of a benefactor of foreigners who owe it no allegiance.

The abrogation of this drawback would primarily effect meats, fruits and fish and other articles which are sent abroad in cans. As it now stands, the Government allows a drawback of the export duty, retaining only one per cent.

PRESIDENT FORTMANN.

Today a Tribune reporter had this matter brought strongly to his attention in a pleasant chat with Henry F. Fortmann, president of the Alaska Packers' Association.

Mr. Fortmann is a gentleman whose name seldom appears in the newspapers save as the projector of some enterprise of magnitude and as the manager of such an undertaking as requires not alone experience, but a far reaching mental vision to handle in a satisfactory manner.

As president of the Alaska Packers' Association, Mr. Fortmann is, of course, directly interested in the question of the drawback, and through him are interested thousands of people in all walks of business, who are really dependent upon the industry which the drawback renders possible.

The Alaska Packers' Association is engaged in the packing of salmon, the fame of which has extended all over the world. There is not consumption for the product of the packers in this country, and for that reason a large part of the product finds a market abroad, mainly in the British colonies. Mr. Fortmann was questioned as to how the packers thrive under the drawback system now in force, as well as on a number of other questions touching the subject. In reply, he said:

MR. FORTMANN'S VIEWS.

"So far, under the drawback system, we have been able to hold our own in competition with other countries, but the drawback was necessary, because in those countries they have to pay us duty on tin. The Pacific Salmon Canneries in the United States export 700,000 cases of salmon per year. There is a drawback on each case of 12½ cents. If the drawback should be wiped out it would interfere with our ability to compete with people in British territory.

"Armour, Cudahy and Fairbanks, who put up various articles in cans in Chicago, are apt to move to British territory and thus help themselves greatly.

KEEN COMPETITION.

"Competition between home and foreign packers is now so keen that the abolition of the drawback could not be withstood. The drawback is as great a protection to the American laborer as it is to the manufacturer. It is absolutely necessary to enable goods to be sold in a foreign market. A great deal of expense must be incurred in the industry, because fish when caught must be packed on the scene."

Mr. Fortmann then considered for a moment the matter of American tin.

"We are glad," he said, "to use American tin plate, and are using it on goods used in the United States at the same price as that of the foreign article with the duty added.

"Tariff reform should be gone into in a very slow manner, and changes all along the line should not be made at once. We should have a commission, and the Government should be in favor of fair dealing. The commission should give notice of any proposed change and set a time for and give a notice of a hearing."

On the coal question, which enters largely into this business, Mr. Fortmann said:

"The largest percentage of coal used on this coast is imported. There is no coal here to protect. The duty on coal is a hardship on the people and on the manufacturer.

"The consumption of canned goods from America is increasing in England and should not be checked by adverse legislation. They are used in all the manufacturing districts, and the consumption is extending over the European continent and into China, Japan and Australia. The Pacific Coast has to compete with England, Scotland and Denmark in the fish and herring business. American canned fruits and fish, owing to the low price at which they are sold, have ceased to be a luxury and have become an article of food among all classes. The people in Europe in retailing break a meat can and sell the article in slices. Any check put on the present system," Mr. Fortmann said, "would be disastrous."

THOUSANDS EMPLOYED.

"There are fully 6,000 people directly interested in this industry. They are all Americans. They are mostly married people with families. It costs a great deal to maintain them. The finest kind of machinery must be employed and that costs money. The Pacific Coast is the only place in the United States where salmon is canned, and in California more fruit is packed than in any other State. The fruit industry for this reason needs the same attention to protect it so that there shall be no shrinkage to the farmer or horticulturist.

Mr. Fortmann then told about the extra agencies employed to facilitate the conduct of the enterprise and thus incidentally showed the great amount of money invested in the undertaking.

"There is a large fleet of vessels employed in the Alaska salmon fisheries, larger than in any other fishing trade, and a larger number of people employed in it. The American merchant marine is already going down steadily, and in this trade the vessels are increasing in number every year, which means the expenditure of a large amount of money which goes into the pockets of the people. Besides, the vessels of this fleet need overhauling every season, and all of this is done either in San Francisco or Oakland, and the money is spent in either of those cities. The repairs of these vessels is in the main done in Oakland, in yards along the creek and by the foundaries and machine shops near the water front. Besides Oakland enjoys the benefits of money spent by those employed on the ships during winter months, when they are lying up waiting for the opening of the first season of the year. The company the past season has had in Oakland harbor nine sailing vessels and ten steamers. A great deal of work was done on them, materials had to be secured, and they were procured in Oakland and San Francisco. Besides those vessels had to be stocked with supplies, and those were purchased in San Francisco and from Oakland merchants.

BETWEEN SEASONS.

"Between seasons these vessels sometimes are employed in other runs, and last winter two made trips to Australia and other points, taking from here cargoes of wheat and flour, thus giving work to men who otherwise would be without employment and using American instead of foreign vessels.

"There are other companies engaged in the business, among them the Alaska Improvement Company and the Pacific Steam Whaling Company, and each of these patronize Oakland merchants and manufacturers in the same manner as I have described.

ALL AMERICANS.

"There is another feature of this to which I wish to refer, and that is the employes of this company. The officers and engineers on every vessel have to be American citizens. The others who are not Americans see the necessity of becoming such, because, in the conduct of the business, the principle of civil service reform prevails, and if they were not Americans when they entered the service they soon discovered the necessity of becoming so in order to render themselves eligible to promotion."

As to the duration of the salmon season Mr. Fortmann said the first vessel went out about the first of March and the last returned all the way from September to November.

As regards the output of the canneries for foreign consumption, Mr. Fortmann said that two-thirds of the Alaska product was exported, as a consequence, that vast feature of the trade which now was compelled to fight against foreign competition was endangered by the proposed abolition of the drawback system. In Bristish Columbia, he said, the hatcheries established there are maintained by the Government. The association, he further stated, intended to establish a hatchery at every place it occupied, and it is now established in from thirty to forty places. The canneries extended from Dixon's entrance to Behring Strait for a distance of 2,000 miles by coast line measurement.

OTHER INDUSTRIES AFFECTED.

Mr. Fortmann then referred in about the same manner to the large meat packing concerns in the East and the fruit canneries all over California, annually put out thousands and thousands of cans for the foreign trade. The abolition of the drawback would cripple them, and everybody knew what it meant to the farmers and horticulturists of California to have the fruit industry of the State in any way impaired.

Mr. Fortmann concluded by saying that he was satisfied that the good sense, intelligence and business acumen of the people would readily perceive the irreparable damage which could be done by an injudicious act touching the present system of drawbacks, and as a consequence that nothing would be done to interests which are now so prolific of good and so great a pride to the country and a means of support to so many thousands of her citizens.

An Emeryville Fight.

Fred Godfrey and Charles Robinson, two race track employes had a fight in Brutus' saloon in Emeryville, yesterday in which Robinson used a knife. Godfery's cuts were treated at the Receiving Hospital and the cutter was taken to the County Jail.

Cut With a Bottle.

Miss Annie O'Leary of 2001 Market street was treated at the Receiving Hospital yesterday for a cut foot. The injury was caused by stepping on a broken bottle in St. Mary's Cemetery.

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THE SPORTS OF THE FIELD

Successful Athletic Events on the Campus at Berkeley.

Items of Interest in and Around the University of the State.

BERKELEY, March 22.—The University field day Saturday afternoon was a great success in spite of the cold and disagreeable wind and the absence of Brown, Barnes, Humphreys and Dozier. Four records were broken during the course of the day. The mile walk was lowered by Griffin, '00, from 7:26 2-5 to 7:24 1-5. Edgren raised the shot-put from 40 feet 6 inches to 40 feet 9 inches, and Drum, '00, lowered the time for the 220-yard dash from 23 4-5 to 23 2-5 seconds. Miller, '97, won the 100-yard low hurdle race in 12 seconds, breaking the record by 1-5 of a second.

The following is a summary of events:

100-yard dash—Drum '00, won, Simonds '00, second; Woolsey of the Berkeley High School, third; time, 0:10 3-5.

120-yard hurdle race—Bakewell won; Dawson, second; Cheek, third; time, 0:16 2-5.

Mile walk—Griffin won; Westerfeld, second; Aitken, third; time, 7:24 1-5.

880-yard run—Carroll won; Trefethan; second; Kidd, third; time, 2:11.

220-yard dash—Drum won; Woolsey, second; Broughton, third; time 0:23 2-5.

100-yard low hurdle race—Miller won; Dawson, second; Warnick, B. H. S., third; time, 0:12.

Mile run—Jackson won; Hazeltine, second; Hazwell, third; time, 4:54 4-5.

Running high jump—Hoffman won; Bakewell, second; Miller, third; height, 5 feet 7¾ inches.

Sixteen pound hammer throw—Edgren won; Plaw, Oakland High School, second; Carver, third; distance 137 feet 10 inches.

Running broad jump—Simonds won; Broughton, second; Distance, 20 feet 2 inches.

Pole vault—Lloyd won; Hoffman, second; height, 10 feet 7 inches.

220-yard hurdle race—Dawson won, paced by Torry; time, 0:28.

Shot put—Edgren won; Cheek, second; Lloyd, third; distance, 40 feet 9 inches.

The timers were Colonel Geo. C. Edwards, M. Dozier and L. L. Roos; starters, E. J. Brown and T. L. Barnes; announcer, Herbert Blas; judges, A. B. Pierce, W. W. Drum and Al Lean.

The University co-eds defeated the basket ball team from Miss Head's school Saturday morning in Harmon gymnasium, by a score of two goals to one. Each side scored one during the first half, and the college girls added another goal to their score in the second half. The Berkeley team was composed of Miss Elizabeth Griswold, captain; Miss Edith Brownell, Miss Edna Robinson, Miss Mary McCleave, Miss Sarah Hanscom, Miss Katherine Jones, Miss Mary Embury, and Miss Bessie French. From Miss Head's school were Miss Burke, captain; Miss Stubbs, Misses Cooper, Miss Pitcher, Miss Smith, Miss Jones, Miss Morehead and Miss Burnham.

The cast of Prof. Syle's new play, which will be given tomorrow evening in Stiles Hall, has just been announced in full. It is as follows: The Rev. Gregory Shovel, D. D., Cantab, better known as the Chaplain of the Fleet, Frank Dunn; Francis Curzon, Baron Braxtad of Braxtad and Earl of Eversleigh, George D. Kierulff; Sir Robert Levett of Faversham Hall, Kent, W. W. Mein; Will Levett, his son, H. H. Hirst; Harry Temple, esq., of Wolton Manor, Kent, J. A. Elston; Sir Miles Lackington, Bart., who has drunk up his estate, G. L. Cross; Solomon Stallebras, who accounts himself a poet, J. N. Force; Richard Savage, who accounts himself a wit, H. C. Marmon; Mr. Henry Wharncliffe, a man about town, Elliott Pierce; Roger, runner and toter for Dr. Shovel, Silas Geis; David, same for Dr. Mottram, G. L. Cross; Thomas, an old servant, F. F. Bioletti; Gethar Pounder, M. D., F. R. C. S., F. T. Bioletti; postboy, C. W. Coleman; Lady Levett, Miss L. E. Möller; Nancy Levett, her daughter, Miss E. B. Syle; Mistress Esther Pimpernell, a poor gentlewoman, Miss E. Kierulff; Mrs. Gambit of Fore street, Cornhill, Miss A. S. Henry; Kitty Pleydell, niece to Dr. Shovel, Miss A. F. Brown. The University orchestra, directed by C. C. Davis, will furnish music.

The Chaplain of the Fleet is a story in a prologue and four acts, of the Fleet prison, and life in the eighteenth century in England.

The University faculty is thinking of adding to the corps an instructor in colloquial Japanese, as an assistant to Dr. Fryer, professor of Oriental Languages and literature. Dr. Fryer is at present preparing a text-book of Chinese for use in English schools, as there is no such book in existence at present. The preparation will involve an immense amount of labor. During the summer vacation Dr. Fryer will go to China to take charge of affairs left in the hands of his eldest son, who died there recently.

The latest departure of the Agricultural College is a scheme for keeping a poultry yard for experimental purposes. Poultry dealers of Petaluma have offered to provide land and buildings for a poultry experiment station, if the University will take charge of the management, pay the running expenses and hire a man to look after the hens. The State has appropriated $2,500 per year for this purpose, so that the chicken ranch is a sure thing.

President Kellogg has announced that the Charter Day exercises in the gymnasium will begin at 10:30 tomorrow. No special invitations have been issued, but the public is invited.

At the target practice of the University of California rifle team at Shell Mound Park on Saturday, the best scores were made by West, Starr, Hupp, Cartwright, Mumma and Dozier.

Beginning April 2d the Berkeley High School will hold a series of preliminary debates, for choosing its speakers against the Oakland High School. The following students will contest: G. Bryan Bell, Joseph Wilson, Harry Johnson, Fred Barton, Al Mathew, Charles Finn, H. McDonald, Wm. Downer, John Beatty, W. Richardson, O. Peterson, Wallace Turner, Fred Grubb, C. Baxter, R. Neally, and Fred Neally.

Prof. Bailey delivered the last lecture in his series on "Christian Unity" last night in St. Mark's Church. His subject was the "Historic Episcopate."

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will give an entertainment on March 26th in the West Berkeley Presbyterian Church. The programme will include music and a farce and the proceeds will be used toward paying off the church debt.

A new Shakespeare Dramatic Club has been formed in South Berkeley. They will present "Above the Clouds" soon, and the cast will include Mrs. Hill, C. E. Boyle, J. W. Miller, Miss O'Neill, Miss Wild and William Walter.

Belmont school defeated Boone's Academy on the campus Saturday in baseball by the one-sided score of 23 to 1. The one run was made by Cunningham in the fourth inning. Carson, Belmont's pitcher, struck out ten men during the course of the game. The players from Belmont were Carson, Reed, Wadsworth, Story, Seabury, Roberts, Beckley, Moore, Dudley and Yarrington. Boone's was represented by Russ, Deane, Pringle, McCabe, Cunningham, Block, Foster, Randolph and Cox. Boone's play was full of errors.

Substitution the fraud of the day.

See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carter's,

Insist and demand

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mrs. William E. Bond of Anaconda is now in San Francisco, visiting her mother Mrs. E. Dore, 2009 Pacific avenue. She will not return to Montana until late in the summer. Mr. Bond is the successful business manager of the Anaconda Standard.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fletter of Alameda are now in New York City.

Mrs. T. H. Speddy and little daughter will soon leave for Chicago.

Mrs. Snow and Miss Martha Snow of Alameda will soon leave for New York.

Miss Ray Frank lectured before the Jewish congregation at Stockton yesterday.

Miss Edith Sprague and Miss M. Kastens are spending a week at Santa Cruz.

D. M. Tomblin is at Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Harding have returned from Woodland.

A. Carman has been spending a few days at Woodland.

Rev. C. W. Wendte spent a few days last week at Palo Alto.

Mrs. Frances McCullagh has returned from Stockton, where she has been spending a few days.

Mrs. Caldwell has returned to Stockton after a short visit in this city.

Mrs. J. Dorety and Mrs. Roy Watson of Campbell have been spending a few days in this city.

D. K. Darbyshire of Haywards has returned from a three months' sojourn at Los Gatos.

Miss S. Hamilton of Alameda is spending a few days in the mountains at Los Gatos.

M. Allen of this city was in Suisun a week ago Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Brown has returned from Suisun.

Miss Morse of St. Helena spent the last week in Berkeley.

Mrs. W. R. Senter of Stockton is making a three weeks' visit in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gilbert of this city, accompanied by Miss Kitty Comfort, are in Woodland.

Miss Edith Chase is spending a week in Santa Cruz.

Paul Schoen of this city was in Auburn last week.

Mrs. Carrie Fross Snyder is in Vallejo, where she has resumed her classes in elocution.

J. M. Rutherford of Cordelia returned from a visit in Oakland last Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Breck and niece, Ellen Hathaway, of this city, visited Suisun the first part of last week, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Reeves.

Miss Emma Robbins has returned to her home in Suisun after visiting in this city and Stockton.

Mrs. J. Cheney of Colusa has returned from a visit in Oakland.

Saturday afternoon Misses M. Kate and Bert Benner of 777 Sixteenth street gave a very enjoyable progressive euchre party to a number of their Oakland and San Francisco friends. The parlors were beautifully decorated with eschsholtzias. Those present were: Mrs. Ed. Sewell, Mrs. Will Stadtfeld, Mrs. W. Oscar Brown, Mrs. William Culver, Mrs. William Fogg, Addie Townsend, Mrs. J. Mullen, Mrs. Harry Benner, the Misses Beatrice McDonald, Cordelia Burnham, Mae E. Burnham, Minnie Henneberry, Bertha Young, Sadie Henneberry, Annie Armstrong, Lydia Armstrong, Hattie Martin, Maud Buneman, Nettie Stevens, Sally Stevens, Gussie Hooper, Gertrude Carlton, Helen Campbell, Ella Kendall, Grace Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Lund entertained the '95 Club at their home on Washington street, Saturday. Progressive whist was indulged in the greater part of the evening. Delightful refreshments were served at a late hour. Fortune-telling by one of the guests was greatly enjoyed by all. Considerable amusement was created by the fortunes of Mr. Tyack and Mr. Merrill, as the fortunes neared the truth. About forty guests were present, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Howett, Mr. and Mrs. Petersen, Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. Salback and son, Misses Maggie and Etta Lund, Miss Alice Tyack, Miss Hilda Barkquest, Mr. Berry, Mr. King, Mr. Tyack and Mr. Merrill.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

Spring millinery opening March 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Williams, 1162 Broadway.

AID FOR CUBA.

How It May Be Extended Under the Law of the Nation.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 22.—General Daniel Sickles, when seen in regard to a report that he was interested in a Cuban expedition to sail some time time next month, said:

"I am fitting out no expedition for Cuba. I am not in that business. It is true that I have given legal advice to several of the Cuban leaders, who have called on me, and, from time to time, I have cautioned them as to the necessity of keeping within the limits of the law in their struggle for independence. My sentiments are well known and have been expressed in public speeches."

General Sickles says if he were in Minister de Lome's place he would labor zealously for his government. At the same time, the law was explicit and there was nothing to prevent the daily shipments of arms to Cuba or the sending of unarmed men without restriction to the island. He did not approve of the methods that have been followed by some of the Cuban fillibusterers.

"The law makes it illegal to send military expeditions or to fit out expeditions with armed men—men enlisted in this country to fight the Spanish—but it is perfectly lawful to send a cargo of guns and ammunition by any steamer or ship from United States ports. All the power of Spain cannot prevent such shipments under the law.

"It has been claimed by the Cubans that in sending down a vessel loaded with arms, it is necessary to have sufficient men on board to land the cargo on the coast. The law does not oblige a captain to land his goods in any particular place after a transfer has been made at sea. A ship may clear with her papers regularly made out for Vera Cruz or any South American port, outside of Cuba, then the cargo may be sold and transferred outside the three-mile limit on the high seas."

"Can a Ward line steamer leave New York with a cargo of arms destined for Vera Cruz, and when outside the legal limit transfer those arms to another vessel and break no law?" was asked.

"Yes, so far as this country is concerned, but she would have to answer to the Spanish government when she reaches a Cuban port.

"It is a matter between the owners of the steamer and the authorities down there. There are legal ways of supplying the Cubans with war material. They can be cleared for any port outside of Cuba, sold on the high seas, and the purchaser stipulate that they be landed at any point on the Cuban coast, outside a port of entry. The captain of the ship can legally land his arms and guns in any bay or bayou suitable for the purpose, and no American law would be broken by such an act.

"These questions came up during General Grant's administration and the situation is identically the same now, so far as the State Department is concerned.

"So you see, in order to aid Cuba, the leaders must act within the law. I have told them that nothing can prevent their shipment of arms to any extent. These arms can be transferred legally on the high seas and landed on the Cuban coast. Any number of men can be engaged as laborers and also transported out of New York openly and without hindrance. After the steamer has proceeded outside the three mile limit, and it is desired to change the destination of the laborers, arrangements can be made with the contractors and the laborers landed on the coast of Cuba.

"Spain denies that war exists in Cuba, consequently we can ship any kind of merchandise, arms, dynamite or anything of that character, without interference of law at this end of the route. It is only when a vessel having such a consignment enters the jurisdiction of the Spanish government in Cuba—crosses the three-mile line—that she is wholly within the power of the enemy and she gets into trouble. That, however, is her lookout. The United States cannot interfere."

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Perjury Charged.

Attorney Sam Bell McKee has filed an affidavit, charging perjury in the case of Thomas O'Donnell against the Haywards Railroad. Detective John Ferrin makes the statement in which he asserts that John Duffy a barkeeper swore to being on the car which caused the damage when he was not there.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on FRIDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1897, pursuant to an order of the Honorable Superior Court, Alameda County, John Stewart of Stewart's Law and Collection Office, No. 462 Eighth St., Oakland, as assignee of Arlett Bros., insolvent debtors, and at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at No. 918 Broadway, Oakland, (Marcuse's Warehouse), I shall sell at public auction, in parcels, to the highest and best bidders, for cash, the following goods: One cash register, 2 scales, 1 wagon, 1 harness, 1 hand truck, small lot vinegar and canned goods, extract and paper bags and wrapping and holder, 1 hatchet, 1 sign marker and 1 sack barley. Reference is made to the records of said case, No. 12,983, Dept. 2, said Superior Court.

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FREE TEXT BOOKS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, March 22.—The bill, now in the General Assembly, providing for the free text books for the pupils of the public schools, has been indorsed by the Chicago Federation of Labor at its regular weekly meeting. The Federation instructed the delegates present to bring the matter before their respective unions for their immediate endorsement. Printed copies of the bill were given to each delegate, together with several printed addresses favoring the bill, which were delivered before the Illinois Teachers' Association at Springfield last December.

John T. Ray, chairman of the committee on labor organizations, of the Teachers Association was at the meeting and discussed the subject as to its effect on the laboring classes.

Pupils whose parents are poor, it was urged, were often unable to get the necessary books until a month or so after the opening of school, and were thus put at a disadvantage, while the parents of many are too proud to send their children to school without books and thus the attendance is less than it would be under a free text book system.

Massachusetts was cited as an example of this. In one year after the enactment of a free text book law, the attendance in the public schools of that State is said to have increased 10 per cent.

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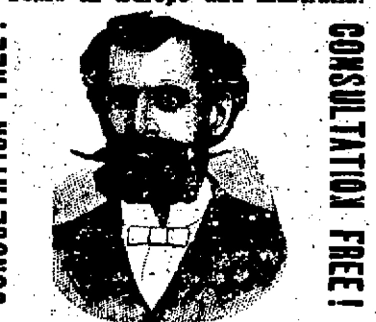

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